

ALL THE NEWS OF THE BADGER STATE

NOVEL WORKING HOURS AT BAYVIEW ROLLING MILLS.

Three Shifts Which Will Give the Employees More Leisure Time Than Formerly—Patents and Pensions for Wisconsin People—Notes of General Interest.

Milwaukee, March 9.—Residents of Bay View are now enjoying the unusual sight of seeing many of those who are engaged at the mills of the Illinois Steel company going to work early in the afternoon and late at night, carrying their lunch baskets with them, as a result of the new idea in regard to the working hours of many of the employees, who went into effect yesterday. Formerly there were two working hours, one of which went to work at 4 o'clock a. m., and the other at 4 o'clock p. m. Now three shifts are at work, each with a run of eight hours. They go on at 6 a. m., 2 p. m., and 10 p. m. There will be a shift each week, so that the men who go to work this week at 2 o'clock will next week go on at 10 and so on, continually changing. After two days of trial, the men rather like the new scheme, but it is still too new to be spoken of authoritatively. Under the expectation is that there will be no wasted time with the machinery and that the plant will be run up to its capacity all hours of the day and night, while work will be given to many more men.

Patents to Wisconsin Inventors. Washington, March 9.—Patents were granted to residents of Wisconsin today as follows:

William J. Austin, Milwaukee, rail joint and forming same, (re-issue); Henry Cunderman, Brookfield, gage alarms; William Harris and F. A. Brandt, Milwaukee, smoke consuming furnace; William E. Penn and O. S. Brown, Lake Mills, combined churn and butter worker; Faustine Prinz, Milwaukee, smut machine; Henry O. Swan, Oshkosh, screw clamp.

Pensions for Wisconsin People.

Washington, D. C. March 8.—Pensions granted persons in Wisconsin: Additional—Barlow F. Stoddard, Richland Center, \$4 to \$8; George J. Thomas, Rockton, \$12; Calvin Morely, Viroqua, \$10 to \$12. Supplemental—Jerome L. Rutty, New Richmond, \$2.

State News in Brief

The Noggles sensation was ended at Lancaster Tuesday by the release of Noggles and his alleged accomplice, William Lester, in the murder of a peddler, which Noggles declared at a Soldier's Grove prayer meeting had been committed five years ago in Wisconsin. The officers decided that there was no proof to justify holding the men longer.

Henry M. Hurless, a well known farmer and stock dealer of West Lima, made an assignment yesterday for the benefit of creditors, and named as assignee Jacob Potts, of the same place. His liabilities are \$12,000 or more, and his assets are supposed to be sufficient to pay in full. The heaviest creditors are the Richland county banks.

John Williams, of Oshkosh, an employee of the Diamond Match company, is suffering from what is commonly known among match makers as "phossy jaw." The bones of the head are gradually decaying through the action of the phosphorus used in the matches. He has had three pieces of bone taken from his head, but another operation will be needed.

The request of the Turners that a place be set aside in West park, Milwaukee, for an open air gymnasium will be granted by the park commissioners. A plot 350 by 200 feet will be given for this purpose. This will be encircled by a walk fifteen feet wide, for running races.

An effort will be made to have Colonel John W. Bashford run as a non-partisan candidate for mayor of Hudson. A year ago he was elected on the democratic ticket. He instituted reforms that estranged him from the politicians of his party, but which the people seem to have thought were right.

Another gift of \$1,000 towards Stephenson Science hall at Lawrence university was recorded this week, reducing the total still needed to about \$6,000. There is little doubt that ground will be broken in a month or two for the new structure.

The members of Fairfield post, No. 11, G. A. R., of Madison, have adopted resolutions declaring that if after careful investigation, the federal government should declare war on Spain, the able bodied members of the post will volunteer.

The Kenosha common council has passed an ordinance granting Fred S. Comstock, of Chicago, a franchise for a local electric street car line. This is the end of a long struggle which has stretched over two or three years to get an electric line established.

Eight sealed bids were received by the Manitowoc council Monday for the dredging of 20,000 cubic yards from the Manitowoc river, the work to be completed not later than next October.

The factory at Cedarburg belonging to the Excelsior Shoe and Slipper company, was entered by three burg-

READY FOR EVERY POSSIBLE RESULT

UNCLE SAM PREPARED FOR THE CONTINGENCY OF WAR.

Belief Growing That a Conflict Is Inevitable—President McKinley Knows Result of the Mine Inquiry—How Emergency Fund Will Be Used.

Washington, March 9.—It is the general opinion here that the president is preparing for war and it is evidently to be a war of aggression. Spain has taken no steps showing actual hostility towards this government unless her attempts to purchase warships may be so construed.

Under the circumstances the conclusion is unavoidable that the president is in possession of information which is being withheld from the public generally. This information, it is believed, comes through John M. Hulce, official stenographer of the Maine board of inquiry, who left the board when it concluded its labors at Key West and reached here Sunday.

He brought to Washington a complete transcript of all the evidence which had been submitted to the board. He arrived in Washington on Sunday night and went immediately to the white house, where he placed the transcript in the hands of President McKinley.

Mr. Hulce will not say anything in response to inquiries concerning the reason for his presence here except that he did not bring with him the report of the board of inquiry. He has not denied that he brought a transcript of the testimony. He has not often been seen in public since his return, because he has received orders to keep out of sight as far as possible. Of course he is under oath not to reveal any information which is in his possession.

Yesterday while talking to some friends he apparently forgot himself, for he made the following remark concerning the investigation of the Maine disaster: "The only possible outcome of that affair is war."

TO PROTECT GENERAL LEE.

Purpose of the Montgomery in Going to Havana.

Washington, March 9.—The Montgomery's purpose in hurrying to Havana is solely to protect Consul General Lee. General Lee does not enjoy diplomatic immunity, and his position as the representative of the United States would not protect him against insult from the Spanish government in Havana.

Even if Captain General Blanco should desire to protect General Lee in the event of a riot he would himself be powerless to do so. The Havana volunteers, the local militia, are the virtual rulers of the city, and though Captain General Blanco cabled the minister of war for permission to disarm them, the war department has not had the courage to do so and General Blanco a few evenings ago was compelled to assure the colonels of the different battalions of volunteers who called upon him that there was no intention of depriving them of their arms.

It is against those military ruffians that General Lee will need protection.

It is not probable that General Lee will take up his abode on the Montgomery when she arrives, but it is entirely certain that the Montgomery will take such a position in the harbor of Havana that her guns will command General Lee's office.

HOW THE MONEY WILL GO.

President McKinley's Plan For Expending the War Emergency Fund.

Washington, March 9.—The question of how the president will expend the \$50,000,000 just voted him by congress, is agitating many public men here. It is said on good authority that he will expend more than half of the appropriation for purchasing warships. Options have already been secured on two Japanese cruisers now building in this country. Next week a naval officer bearing a special commission from the president will visit Europe for the purpose of ascertaining what war vessels are obtainable over there.

The president is very anxious to secure the two battle ships now being built by the Armstrongs for the government of Brazil.

With the large fund at his disposal, and a tireless unhampered by congress, the president will be able to push forward his war preparations with great rapidity and at the same time with considerable secrecy.

A Veteran Kills Himself.

St. Louis, March 9.—[Special]—George Lawrence, an inmate of the Soldiers' Home at Quincy, Ill., committed suicide here last night.

The Ruling Passion.

"That girl who was robbed on the street ran all the way home before she fainted."

"Of course; she wanted to take her feather hat off first."—Chicago Record.

His Reason for It.

She—You never think of me when you are staying out so late.

He—My dear, that's one reason why I stay out so late.—Indianapolis Journal.

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SPANIARDS DECLARE WAR CANNOT BE ESCAPED.

Americans Subjected to Many Indignities—Cruelties of Weyler Duplicated by Blanco—Notes of Preparation for War Are Now Heard on Every Hand.

Havana, March 9.—[Special]—In the last three days, well known persons in Havana have been thrown into dungeons with the same harshness and cruelty as in Weyler's time. The Havana chief of police is practicing the utmost cruelty on prisoners.

THE SENATE CONCURS

Appropriation for the National Defense Approved Unanimously.

Washington, March 9.—[Special]—The senate this afternoon unanimously passed the bill appropriating fifty million for national defenses. No speeches were made, the bill being passed upon its passage as soon as it was reported.

The senate has agreed to a resolution calling for the papers used in the investigation of the Maine explosion.

War Feeling Runs High

Havana, March 9.—[Special]—The excitement over the possibility of war is growing. There is fear that the Americans here are in great danger. The Spaniards are showing more enthusiasm for war with the United States. A gala performance will be given this week to raise a popular fund to buy warships.

Rebels Are Active

Havana, March 9.—[Special]—Fierce fighting is occurring daily around Havana and in Pinar del Rio province. Great terror exists among the Cuban families over the renewal of hostilities. Blanco has thrown off his conservative mask, and is now allowing the horrible cruelties sanctioned by Weyler.

Anchored Near the Maine

Havana, March 9.—[Special]—The Montgomery anchored close to the Maine wreck. There was no demonstration. It is said the court of inquiry has finished its work.

Working Like Beavers

Norfolk, Va., March 9.—[Special]—Fourteen hundred men are working like beavers at the navy yard here getting the ironclads in shape for war. The fortifications are also being overhauled.

Orders for Projectiles

New York, March 9.—[Special]—The projectile works at Brooklyn have received orders to furnish a quarter of a million dollars worth of armor piercing projectiles as soon as possible.

Arrived at Key West.

Key West, March 9.—[Special]—The steady mobilization in Florida waters of all naval vessels in this part of the world was increased today by the arrival of the torpedo boat Porter.

Dynamite for Cuba.

New York, March 9.—[Special]—The general manager of the Dittmar Powder company, of this city, admits having shipped eight thousand pounds of dynamite to Cuba on order.

Buying War Material.

London, March 9.—[Special]—It is reported that the United States has purchased two warships now in a Tyneyard. It is also stated that the United States has placed large orders for rapid fire guns.

Fortress Monroe Protected.

Newport News, Va., March 9.—[Special]—Eight hundred shells were received at Fortress Monroe yesterday. The fortress is now in good condition to resist attack.

Fortifying Mobile.

Mobile, Ala., March 9.—[Special]—The work of mounting guns at Fort Morgan is being pushed.

Key West Defenses.

Key West, March 9.—[Special]—A steamer has arrived here bringing submarine mines for the protection of Key West harbor.

Enlistments Ordered.

Washington, March 9.—[Special]—Instructions were sent to Admiral Sigsbee at Key West today, to enlist all the men he needs.

The Montgomery On Duty.

Havana, March 9.—[Special]—United States cruiser Montgomery arrived here this morning.

Good at Arithmetic.

Lady (in employment office)—As there is only my husband and myself in the family, I think you ought to be willing to come for less than you ask. There are only two persons to cook for.

Domestic—But, mum, when I'm wid you there 'ud be three.—N. Y. Weekly.

Talking of Fun.

Grigson—It was great fun sitting there and passing remarks upon the people as they came in.

Sarton—Ah, but talking of fun, you should have heard the remarks of some of the people after you went out.—Tit-Bits.

Force of Habit.

Mrs. Brown—Dr. Bolus is becoming dreadfully absent-minded.

Mrs. Jones—Indeed?

Mrs. Brown—Yes; when Mrs. Smith asked his advice about her six-months-old baby he said he thought it would do it good to ride a wheel.—Puck.

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Tobacco sales in large quantities have been scarce of late among the local dealers, and during the past week they report no sales of importance. But that is no sign there has not been any.

Certain dealers are anything but pleased at the idea of reporting their transactions for publication, for they claim "that it stirs up the farmer," who then holds his goods at a good price. But the farmer is not to be fooled, and it is always an assured fact that these same dealers who always report dull business are just the ones who are doing a thriving business. During the past few days help has been scarce in this city, and there is now work for all.

HEAVY RAILROAD TRAFFIC

Crowds Attracted to Janesville by the Midwinter Fair.

Local railroads enjoyed a boom in business today, the passenger travel to this city being the heaviest since the circus days of last summer.

The Midwinter fair and roundup was responsible for it all. Morning trains on the St. Paul road pulled into the city with people standing in the aisles, and at times it was almost impossible to move about the depot.

On this road alone it is estimated that 500 people arrived during the morning. The noon trains on the Northwestern road brought many from both the north and south.

WERE MARRIED AT CHICAGO

Young Native of Janesville Takes a Bride in the Windy City.

Edward H. Dudley, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Dudley, of this city, was married last evening to Miss Elizabeth George, of Chicago, the ceremony being performed by Rev. A. C. Bunker at the Union avenue home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Perry. The bride is a popular young lady who is possessed of a host of friends. The groom is a former well known Janesville boy, who of late years made Chicago his home, where he has been an efficient member of the city police force. A host of friends in this city will extend hearty congratulations.

PARSIMONY SPOILED IT ALL

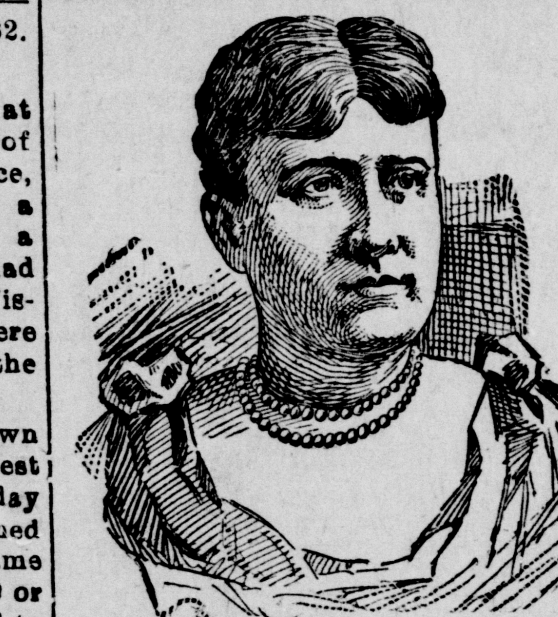
Lack of Good Music Caused a riot Performance.

The Cissy Fitzgerald performance was marred grievously last evening by the execrable music. A few dollars saved to the Opera House management resulted in ruining a performance that must depend for its merit very largely upon effective musical accompaniment. Cissy Fitzgerald is a dainty dancer and her songs are usually very effective but every effort she made last evening was balked and much unfavorable comment resulted.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to tender our heartfelt thanks to the neighbors and friends who so deeply sympathized with us in the bereavement and assisted in the interment of our loving mother, Mary Ann Hopkins, and trust that God in His infinite mercy may abundantly reward them.

CHRISTOPHER HOLLINS,
MRS. A. J. ANDREWS,
DAVID HOLLINS.



MRS. REED.

of hers tells this story about her: At one of her "at homes" she saw the Chinese minister and suit coming down the corridor of the hotel to her parlor. She was greatly abashed and exclaimed, "Oh, here come the Chinese, and I don't even know their names!"

"Well, never mind. The minister's name is Wu Ting Fang," said her friend.

"Did you say 'Wu Tin Pan'?" asked Mrs. Reed in her confusion. It was too late for corrections, but there was one woman relieved as well as the wife of the speaker when the interview was over.—Chicago Tribune.

Two Bushel Sack of Silver Dollars.

The very unusual sight of a man walking through the street with a two bushel meal sack chock full of silver dollars was witnessed at Lexington the other afternoon. Just before the close of banking hours two men, apparently good old farmers, walked into the Phoenix National bank, one of them carrying the sack. They told Cashier Waller Rhodes that they wanted to make a deposit, which he, knowing the men to be citizens of Fayette county from near Jack's Creek, accepted. They untied the bag and counted out a sum which looked to be about \$3,000, every piece of which was a shining silver "plunk." A part of the money was carefully wrapped in paper packages, \$20 in each. The scent of these packages clearly indicated that the money had been buried beneath the earth.—Louisville Post.

Cave Canem.

A dog belonging to O. S. Lafayette, who lives near Hartford Station, O., recently swallowed six sticks of dynamite which were to have been used to sink the coal shaft for the Hamilton Coal company. The dog has been tied out in the woods to await developments.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

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BULK OF LAST YEAR'S CROP HAS NOW BEEN SOLD.

Deliveries at Warehouses Large, Owing to the Desire of Farmers to Clean Up Stocks—Eastern Dealers Are Large Buyers of the Old Leaf.

Edgerton, Wis., March 9.—The buying of the '97 tobacco crop continues with a good deal of vigor in nearly all the growing sections, and prospects point to a pretty thorough canvass until the great bulk of the crop is secured. Some sections are quite generally picked up already, and a together possibly three-quarters of the crop has been lifted, and the balance will furnish selections but a few weeks longer at the present rate of buying. Prices that have formerly prevailed fully maintained, which continue to keep in the neighborhood of six cents for the better selection, while the medium grades fall considerably under that figure. The aggregate sales each week amount to from 5,000 to 6,000 cases.

The deliveries at the warehouses have been very large, owing to the desire of the growers to get their crops off the farms before the spring break up of the country roads. Most of the packers have stocks of bundle goods on hand sufficient to keep the warehouses going into warm weather. The tobacco packing houses in this market are now employing 1,200 to 1,500 hands with work in sight for the balance of the season.

Old tobaccos have been moving again freely, not only in the local markets but large sales of Wisconsin leaf have taken place in the eastern cities. Holders of this tobacco are being able to sell at very fair profits. H. W. Child has purchased seventy cases of '95 of P. N. Johnson of Christiana, and 200 of '96 from A. G. Estes of Madison. George Rumrill, of Janesville, reports the sale of 160 cases of '96 leaf to eastern parties.

The shipments out of storage have reached large proportions of late. More than twenty-five car loads have gone out during the week to all points. Since last report 200 cases of cigar leaf were exported from New York.

THAT INVASION FROM OHIO

Tobacco Raisers Regard It as a Godsend to Them.

EDITOR GAZETTE.—In answer to the article which appeared in the Weekly Gazette under date of March 5, regarding the spirit of ill feeling of the local tobacco buyers who are unrepentant in expressing their hearty disapproval of what they term "invasion" of the Ohio gentlemen, I would say, in justice to those gentlemen, that they have, in every sense of the word, done a good, legitimate business, and I do not see any reason for the local buyers having any occasion to insult them, that they were anything but honorable.

The gentlemen came here and paid a fair price for our tobacco, and I have yet to find the person who can say that either Messrs. Black, Block or Laurer made their bargains at the amount of money which they expended.

They call it "invasion." Ask a farmer if he calls it invasion. He will tell you that the arrival of these gentlemen was a Godsend, much less to say "invasion." Local dealers speak of the business they did as "homeopathic doses." We producers of the leaf don't think it was a very bad dose.

Ask any intelligent farmer if he considers it a very bad dose. If they are as dose, I say for God's sake give us more dose. I say the arrival of the Ohio gentlemen was a stimulant in the local leaf market.

The local buyers make their brags about the amount of money they pay out for handling the leaf. It seems to me if they had a little more foresight they would hesitate to make such assertions.

Compare the average price paid by the eastern gentlemen with that of the local buyers, and you will find that the Ohio men paid on an average more than a cent a pound more than local buyers. The extra cent goes to the hard handed farmer who earned it by the sweat of his brow. They say they pay for the labor of putting it up. Yes, they do, indirectly. But did they the farmer pays for all when you take into consideration that the local dealers grind the farmers down on the extra cent which the Ohio gentlemen so generously gave us. Very respectfully, SUB CRIER.

RULING AN INCORPORATION

Janesville Machine Company's Application Furnishes a Precedent Under New Law.

The state attorney general has decided that articles of incorporation and amendments thereto become effective when they are filed with the register of deeds in the county where the corporation is situated. The decision

Easy to Take Easy to Operate

Are features peculiar to Hood's Pills. Small in size, tasteless, efficient, thorough. As one man

Hood's Pills

said: "You never know you have taken a pill till it is all over." 25c. C. I. Hood & Co., Proprietors, Lowell, Mass. The only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

was made in the petition of the Janesville Machine works, which adopted certain amendments to its articles of incorporation shortly before the new law was passed increasing the fee for the filing of articles of incorporation. Owing to the illness of an officer, however, the amendments were not filed until some time after the law went into effect, and the fees required by the new law were paid for the filing.

GOING TO THE GOLD FIELDS

John Enright and Companions Bound for Alaska.

John Enright, who is now located at Grand Rapids, Alberta, N. W. T. writes local relatives that he is still at Grand Rapids, and he will be for some time to come. He reports having gained ten pounds, and that he and his party of two expect to leave their present location for the Klondike region about April 15.

The Atabaska river which is near them, they will utilize in making a part of the trip by boat, but at present the water is too low for them to undertake it.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

For County Clerk.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of county clerk, subject to the decision of the republicans at a county convention, and solicit the support, at the primaries of all republican voters who look with favor on my candidacy. W. R. PHILLIPS, Evansville, Wis., Feb. 22, 1893.

NEWS HEARD ABOUT THE CITY

PLENTY of the finest eating and cooking apples in our mammoth cold storage. Sanborn.

ADLER'S Mocha gloves at Zigler's.

CRAM'S 5c cigars are good cigars. Sanborn.

LAMB'S wool sweaters for men at Zigler's.

OREMO 5c cigars are well made; they smoke right. Sanborn.

NEVER put a 5c cigar in our case we could recommend as well as Oremo. Try it. Sanborn.

WANTED—Seventy-five hands in tobacco warehouse at once. C. L. Cullor, Edgerton.

ANNUAL clearance sale of furniture at Abercrombie's all this month. See lake ad. for information.

VEN'S night shirts nicely trimmed, 47 cents during the special sale of muslin underwear. Bort, Bailey & Co.

GOWN, skirts, corset covers, drawers and chemises, are offered in this special sale of muslin underwear. Bort, Bailey & Co.

OLD medal or very best, take your choice, you can not lose; either flour is as good as is milled, and cheap in price considering the wheat market. Sanborn.

Not a smoker in the city that would not change to a new brand of cigar if he was sure it was better than the one he had been smoking. Oremo 5c cigar pleases every smoker. Sanborn.

The ladies of the Congregational Y. P. S. C. E. will hold a cake sale Saturday afternoon at the office of the Janesville Clothing Company, South M. in street.

Don't get the impression that the muslin underwear offered in this special sale are last year's stock—the goods are fresh and new, over 300 dozen of them. Last season's stock is placed on separate counters and marked at just half price. S. L. Bort, Thursday. Bort, Bailey & Co.

CLEMENT NOYES is displaying a model of a windmill power equalizer at the mill, made by the Owauchesa Wind Mill Power Equalizer Co. of Owauchesa, Wis., that will be of great benefit to owners of windmills. It regulates the mill both in light and heavy wind, and utilizes all the best power. One of the equalizers can be seen on the mill at the side of M. J. McQuinn's livery, on Bluff street. The cost of an equalizer is only \$3.50.

The success that would naturally attend a sale with so much real merit as this muslin underwear special was made for Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, has certainly been pronounced. We offered over 300 dozen or \$1,600 worth of muslin stuffs of different sorts, all fresh and new, at a slight advance over wholesale cost, and people have been quick to recognize the great values; sales of this sort make for our store an enviable reputation. The special sale ends tomorrow evening. Complete lists of goods and prices in large ad on another page. Bort, Bailey & Co.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations On Grain And Produce are Reported For The Gazette.

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NEWS FROM NEARBY NEIGHBORHOODS

INCOMINGS AND OUTGOINGS OF ROCK COUNTY PEOPLE.

Gossip of a Personal and Business Character Gleaned by Gazette Reporters in the Garden Spot of Wisconsin—Religious and Social Notes.

Fairfield, March 8.—Earl Wetmore is recovering from his recent illness. A number of our young people attended the fair at Darien last Saturday evening. There will be a box social at O. Robinson's on Thursday evening, for the benefit of the singing school. The Fairfield chapter of the O. W. G. will meet with Miss Ruby Clowes on Saturday next. Mrs. Mary C. Johnson has moved to Lima where she will reside with her son Avery, who is in business at that place. Mr. Swartz shipped his swine on Monday last. Merry sleighs from Clinton, Darien and Emerald Grove came over to the exhibition. The exhibition was a complete success. A crowded house was in attendance, and every one speaks highly of the entertainment. The new prices of the evening were \$20.50. Miss Gilbert, of Darien, rendered a recitation which added much to the program and the pup is carried there parts well.

Emerald Grove News.

The snow is fast disappearing and wheels are again in use. J. W. Davis delivered his crop of 1897 tobacco on Tuesday. Mrs. Jennie Johnson has sold her village property, Hans Westby being the purchaser. Rubber boots at Gillies & Jones. Good goods at proper prices. Mr. and Mrs. James Winegar gave a six o'clock tea to a number of Bradford friends on Friday evening of last week which was decidedly a pleasant affair. Emerald Camp M. W. A. will hold a social and a supper Wednesday evening March 16 in the church annex. A change will be made for supper excepting to members of the home camp. You are invited. O. D. Fitch and wife visited Fort Atkinson, last Thursday. Robert Lillburn is showing a handsome pair of black shetland ponies at the midwinter fair. Harry Coulter was out from Janesville Sunday and spent the day with his parents. Some spring birds have been seen. A large number from this locality will have exhibits at the fair this week.

1888-1898.

A notable event long to be remembered occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Miller, near Milton Junction, March 1, 1898, it being the occasion of their tenth wedding anniversary. A more pleasant picture never greeted one hundred guests, than the beautiful decorated rooms and tables. Roses and carnation pinks abounded in profusion, and one seemed almost to wonder if it were still winter. Both vocal and instrumental music was rendered in fine style, much credit being due to the hostess for her beautiful selections. There were many beautiful presents. After a few pleasant words with all the guests were seated at tables, where bountiful refreshments were served. All too soon came the time to go home, and ere many were aware, the wee sma' hours of morn began to appear. After pleasant adieus and good nights were said, all joined in saying:

"Long may you live,
And happy may you be."

COMING TO THE FRONT AGAIN

Heavy Draft Horses Are Once More Finding a Market.

Alexander Galbraith, of this city, last evening shipped to Indiana a pair of valuable Clydesdale horses, of the heavy draft registered kind. The price paid is said to have been a good one.

The shipment of draft horses from this city of late years has not been carried on to any noticeable degree, as it was a few years ago when horse flesh was considered good property. In many parts of the western country heavy draft horses are again getting into the market at prices which indicate that the horse will soon be himself again.

HAS BOUGHT A GREAT DANE

Fine Dog Added to D. F. Sullivan's Kennel.

D. F. Sullivan, the Rockford jeweler who formerly resided in this city, is getting to be a noted fancier of blooded canines. Mr. Sullivan's latest acquisition to his kennel is "Duke," a big, handsome Great Dane, or German mastiff, which he purchased of Professor Backman, proprietor of the glass blowers' exhibit. "Duke" is a son of Blanche L., registered from the famous Kalamazoo kennels. He is eight months old, weighs 132 pounds and is mouse colored. The dog is known as the Duke of Janesville, has a kindly disposition and a good appetite.

For the Public Good.

In another part of this paper appears an advertisement worthy the reading, as it is for the public good. It tells of a Free distribution of Doan's Kidney Pills, a remedy for Kidney Ills. Read it, and call at People's drug store March 9.

Tax Notice.

Unpaid state and county taxes will be returned to the county treasurer March 15, 1898. All persons interested please take notice.

JAMES A. FATHERS,

City Treasurer.

FRESH Fish every day in the week at Sanborn's.

DEPOT IS NEARLY COMPLETED

Northwestern's New Passenger Station Receiving Its Finishing Touches.

By May 1 the new Chicago & Northwestern depot in this city will be completed and ready for occupancy. Within six weeks' time the carpenters will have finished their work both inside and out. Carpenters, plumbers and painters are now busily engaged within and without the building and each is losing no time in completing their part of the work. All down stairs will be finished in red birch wood, while on the second floor the trimmings will be in southern pine. In the ladies' waiting room a handsome fireplace graces one end of the room. The cornice and slate work was completed on Monday.

LOOKING FOR HIS BROTHER

Jacob Friend Would Like Intelligence of William's Whereabouts.

For fourteen years Jacob Friend, of this city, has been looking for his long lost brother William, who is supposed to be somewhere in this country. In the spring of 1880 he left his home in Switzerland to come to Albert county, Colorado, where he engaged in herding sheep. Soon after his arrival in Colorado he wrote his aged parents in Switzerland, but from that time till this day they have never heard from him, nor have they been able to locate him after a diligent search. His brother, Jacob Friend, of this city, says that any information regarding him will be most thankfully received.

Always Bear In Mind

That our largest fresh fish order comes Thursday for Friday's trade.

That it is far better to order your fish Thursday for Friday's dinner, as it gives the most ample time in which to thoroughly thaw; that the variety is both fresh fish and fish steaks will be as large as ever, that our oysters come direct from Baltimore twice weekly; that when you get them they have the same identical taste as when they come from the oyster beds; that they are kept in the only correct manner, in the only oyster refrigerator in the city. Sanborn & Co.

Bone Setter

Marvelous Cures Performed.

PRaise : : EVERYWHERE.

PATIENTS FROM THE COUNTRY.

Mrs. Eggert Cured

A SUFFERER FOR MANY YEARS.

At 82 Third Street, Fond du Lac, Telephone 146.

HAS MADE MANY FRIENDS

Another Young Lady Tells

What the Doctor Has

Done for Her—Many

Come From Other

Cities.

Mrs. Mary Eggert of Stockbridge, called at the Fond du Lac Commonwealth office one afternoon last week, and asked that an opportunity be given her to give her testimony as to what the Bone Setter had done for her. She said, "I have suffered with rheumatism in its worst form for years. For the past five years my right limb has been perfectly stiff at the knee and has been practically useless. I have been obliged to use crutches in order to get about. I suffered continually, at times the pain being violent. I saw the Bone Setter for the first time four weeks ago and since his first treatment have experienced no pain in the limb whatever. My knee is no longer stiff and I am able to walk without assistance of cane or crutch. The pain and stiffness is all gone, and I feel twenty years younger than I did a month ago. I have been treated by many doctors in years past, but have had no beneficial results. We are well satisfied with the Bone Setter."

Mrs. Eggert is over seventy years of age and her cure is certainly a remarkable one. She stated further that the result of her treatment were being closely watched in her home locality, and that as soon as she returned from this visit, many more would apply to the Bone Setter for treatment from Stockbridge.

Fond du Lac, Feb. 28, '98—I called on the Bone Setter about three weeks ago, and consulted him in regard to my back, it being in a curved condition ever since I was 10 years old. I am now 27 years and in the three weeks I have been under the Bone Setter's treatment he has reduced the curvature almost entirely and with out any pain. I am perfectly satisfied with my treatment, and also highly recommend him to any one. He certainly is a man of his word.

MISS MAGGIE HALLMAN, Peabody, Minn.

Handsomeness Rugs

Made from worn Ingrain or Brussels Carpets, any size desired. Write to Baraboo Towel Mills "rug department" for circular. Only first class work turned out. Baraboo Towel Mills, Baraboo, Wisconsin.

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WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP

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Live merchants don't stand still to be devoured by their competitors. They keep constantly on the move to keep up-to-date in stock, quality and price.

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is very much alive. New things arriving every day. Our new showing in...

Silks, Dress Goods, Organdies

Have been plucked from the creme-de-la-creme of the market and are a little ahead in style of our usual high standard. We cannot recall a time when goods were prettier; color harmonies that are perfect.

Silk and Wool Mixtures and diagonals in lovely figured and changeable creations.

All Wool Coverts, Serges, Poplins, Broadcloths, Henriettas, Granites, Crepes, Diagonals, Whip Cords, and many more in a large range of prices.

Matting for Floor Coverings.

If only all housekeepers knew the value and comfort of matting, how much worry and work would be saved, how many dull houses would look cheery! If you own your home and have hardwood floors, thank kindly destiny and dismiss the subject. But if you live in a rented house, or can not afford hard floors, or for any reason you are considering the subject of floor coverings, pause long before passing over the advantages of matting. It is clean, fresh and easily cared for. It is a perfect floor covering in summer and an excellent background for rug in winter—from the cheapest to the richest—adding to the cheerfulness of a room, yielding all accumulated dust to light brushing, possessing indeed almost every advantage that a floor covering can have, with no disadvantages. In making a move or rehitting a house, every yard of it can be utilized. It is easily renovated (by soap and salt water), and can be matched or pieced using the whole parts in two rooms to make one good complete room. Lastly, it is cheap, its growing popularity having so encouraged its manufacture or importation that it is to be had almost everywhere in great variety at moderate cost. To sum up its merits, matting gives a house a fresh clean feeling, a sense of cheerfulness that no other floor covering give. Its soft, new colorings make it available in the most carefully studied color schemes; it is pleasant to walk upon, is a practical protest against dust and microbes, is, in fact, both wholesome and satisfactory.—Home Companion.

150 rolls here to show you, 12 1/2 to 50c. Variety very large.

Crimped Crust ...BREAD
Rich; sweet; moist; wholesome; sense-delighting.
Baked by....
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19 N. Main Street, Janesville, Wis., in a "Crimped Crust" Bread Pan, which holds the steam in the bread, retaining all the aroma, flavor and nutriment of the wheat—something well understood in making coffee.

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In bottles only 15c Bottle.

Equal in every way to Imported Ale. Case of 2 dozen pint bottles for \$2.00 Sold by all retail dealers.

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knows the value of good, juicy beef and mutton, when preparing the many choice morsels, entrees and tid-bits that the experienced epicure knows how to appreciate and he knows he can get the prime meats to be found in Janesville from this market at all times at reasonable prices.

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TO RENT.

The Milton House, furnished principally. A good store, and the best Suite of Mill

NEWS FROM THE MORNING PAPERS

READINESS FOR EMERGENCIES.

Much Pleasure Evincing at the Satisfactory Showing Made—Sensational Rumor as to the Finding of the Court of Inquiry.

Washington, March 9.—Every bureau of the navy department is humming with activity. Consultations are being held between the officers concerned and representatives of shipbuilding, armor, coal, and other companies having supplies which would be needed by the United States in carrying out the schemes of national defense.

The state and war departments are also busy, getting everything in readiness for the emergency which the administration hopes to avoid, but which it will not shrink if developments justify a resort to hostilities.

Never before in the history of the United States have such thorough preparations for war been made as those now in progress. Manufacturers of every conceivable article which will be needed have been asked for data as to their ability to comply with the demand of an emergency. The showing has been so gratifying that the officials do not attempt to conceal their satisfaction.

WILL SHOW A CONSPIRACY.

Sensational Dispatch as to the Report of the Court of Inquiry.

Chicago, March 9.—A special dispatch to the Chronicle from Washington says:

"The report of the court of inquiry will be of the most startling character. President McKinley has read the testimony of every witness who testified before the board up to last Friday. No testimony of importance has been submitted since that time. The president, therefore, is in full possession of all the facts in the case.

"When the report is made public it will shock the entire civilized world. According to the information which has come to me the report will show that the Maine was blown up through Spanish treachery. The ship had no sooner come to anchor in Havana harbor than a conspiracy was formed for its destruction. Among the conspirators were Spanish officers and volunteers.

"The report will show that Spain is responsible legally and morally for the blowing up of the vessel and the murder of 258 American seamen.

"Now, bearing in mind that the above is an accurate forecast of the report, we can readily understand the sudden reversal of the administration's Cuban policy. When that report is made public President McKinley will not even make a demand of indemnity from Spain. In the circumstances such a demand would be a mockery. He will simply transmit the report to congress and war is certain to follow.

"No intimation is given as to when the board of inquiry will report. No report is expected until the administration is ready to begin hostilities against Spain."

TWO NAVIES COMPARED.

American Fleet, It Is Declared, Surpasses That of Spain.

Washington, March 9.—A great deal has been said and written about the superiority of the Spanish navy over that of the United States. Comparison of the ships belonging to the two countries shows that in number, equipment and size the American navy far surpasses that possessed by Spain. It is frequently said that the American warships are not ready for action, but the officers at the navy department indignantly deny the assertion and claim that the American vessels and men are prepared for any emergency. The Pelayo is the only first-class battleship owned by Spain. The United States has four of the floating arsenals, and the smallest one is 1,100 tons larger than the Spanish battleship. In the armored cruiser class Spain has the advantage, the New York and the Brooklyn being the only two armored cruisers possessed by this country.

Du Bose Again Makes Denial.

Washington, March 9.—Senor du Bose, the Spanish charge d'affaires, repeats his denial that demand or request had ever been made by Spain for Consul General Lee's recall, and stated that this incident as well as that of sending relief supplies to Cubans in warships had been satisfactorily adjusted and closed. He further expressed the hope and belief that the controversy over the Cuban question would be settled on the basis of peace between the United States and Spain, and with honor to both countries.

Lauds the United States.

London, March 9.—The Daily News, commenting on the scene in the American house of representatives at the passage of the Cannon bill appropriating \$50,000,000 for national defense, says it does not wonder at the enthusiasm displayed. It views the determination of the United States to strengthen her navy as legitimate patriotism, which it says will command peculiar sympathy from the British public. It declares that it is impossible not to sympathize with American feeling regarding Cuba.

Spain Cannot Borrow Funds.

New York, March 9.—A Washington special to the World says: "A cablegram just received from Minister Woodford declares that Spain has exhausted every means of raising money for the prosecution of a war, without

success. All the financial centers of Europe have rejected her overtures. Gen. Woodford pronounces it an utter impossibility for Spain to secure funds with which to engage in hostilities against the United States."

American Schooner Seized.

Havana, March 9.—The Spanish gunboat Arzilla captured in an inlet near Casilda, on the south coast of Cuba, the American schooner Esther of Edenton, N. C., bound from Pensacola to Jamaica. The captain of the schooner was asked to give the reason for the presence of his vessel in the inlet and declared his rudder was broken. The captain's statement was probably believed, for the gunboat towed the schooner to sea and released her.

Plan Alliance with Japan.

Washington, March 9.—It is said that propositions are being considered looking to a possible alliance between the United States and Japan in the event of a war with Spain.

It is expected that the object of the proposed alliance is to strengthen our naval forces on this coast by withdrawing the available ships from the Pacific and Asiatic stations and rely upon Japan to take the Philippine islands and look after the Spanish ships in the Pacific.

Paucaefote Sees McKinley.

Washington, March 9.—Sir Julian Pauncefote, British minister, called at the white house Tuesday in company with Secretary Sherman, and his visit gave rise to a report that he assured the President of the support of Great Britain in case of war with Spain. Assistant Secretary Day officially denied this, and Sir Julian assured the reporter that there was no significance whatever in his visit.

London Newspaper Praise.

London, March 9.—The Morning Post editorially commends the adoption of the Cannon resolution by the house of representatives and says: "It is an emphatic way of saying that American statesmen intend to stand by their declarations. People who talk about national honor and responsibility ought to be prepared to put their money down."

How Lee Would Leave Havana.

New York, March 9.—A cablegram to the Evening World from George Bronson Rea, at Havana, says: "Gen. Lee said last night to me: 'If Spain wishes to declare any or all of us persona non grata it is her privilege to do so, but if we must leave town we will leave with the American flag flying and a brass band at the head of the procession.'"

Pope Will Not Intervene.

Rome, March 9.—The alleged interview with Cardinal Rampolla, in which it was stated that the pope was about to appeal to the European powers to arbitrate between Spain and Cuba and to take measures to avert war between Spain and the United States, is officially declared to have been a pure invention.

Work on Warships Rushed.

Washington, March 9.—The necessity of getting every ship into serviceable condition as quickly as possible has caused the navy department to send directions to the various firms which are constructing vessels for the government to hurry up the work.

Mr. Cridler Makes Denial.

Paris, March 9.—Thomas W. Cridler, the special commissioner of the United States at the Paris exposition of 1900 and third assistant secretary of state, denies the report that he is commissioned to purchase warships.

The Montgomery Off for Havana.

Key West, Fla., March 9.—The United States cruiser Montgomery sailed Tuesday afternoon for Havana.

Will County to Make a Test.

Joliet, Ill., March 9.—To test the constitutionality of the senatorial reapportionment law Will county has been chosen. Under the old law this county was an entire district by itself, and it was selected because of the fact that the convention could be called quickly. The members of the executive committee of the old senatorial district have issued the call for the primaries and senatorial convention. The former will be held on Friday and the convention Saturday. A candidate will be nominated for senator.

Trouble in Hocking Valley.

Cleveland, Ohio, March 9.—There is now little doubt that the Hocking valley operators have resolved on war. J. B. Zerbe, general manager of the Ohio and Pennsylvania Coal company, said: "If a strike is declared I predict an early victory for the miners, for on the outcome of this strike will depend the welfare of every miner in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and in the Pittsburgh district."

Indiana Has a Willard Day.

Anderson, Ind., March 9.—At the meeting of the Indiana W. C. T. U. Tuesday a resolution was adopted setting aside March 20 as Willard memorial day, when all the unions in the state will hold services.

Calhoun Gets the Place.

Washington, March 9.—The President has sent to the senate the nomination of William J. Calhoun of Danville as interstate commerce commissioner to succeed William R. Morrison.

FLEISCHMANN MAUSOLEUM.

To Be One of the Most Beautiful Mortuary Monuments in America.

In the Fleischmann mausoleum, which is to be shortly erected in Spring Grove cemetery, it is believed Cincinnati will acquire one of the most beautiful mortuary monuments in America, as well as a very exquisite specimen of Greek architectural art. The design that has been accepted in its leading features is a reproduction of the Greek temple form. It will stand in the center of the Fleischmann plot in Spring Grove cemetery.

The light gray granite of the Barre (Vt.) quarries will be the material for the mausoleum. Lines of Doric columns will surround the structure. Throughout the full effect of the simple and impressive Greek art will be brought out. The interior is to include 26 receptacles in the rock for burial caskets. The estimated cost of the mausoleum is about \$50,000. It will not be completed before next fall. —Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

TAKING EARLY PRECAUTIONS

Articles of Value Are Being Removed From "Cottages" on the Atlantic Coast.

The millionaire owners of the cliff castles at Newport are taking early precaution to save their most valuable personal property from the possibility of destruction by hostile guns.

Telegraphic orders have come to servants during the past 24 hours for the removal of the pictures, silverware, etc. The deep sea off the south shore is unguarded, and the marble palace of the Vanderbilts, the princely home of the Golets, the palatial cliff "boxes" of the Lorillards would only serve as targets for the long range guns on war vessels passing along the coast. There are from \$25,000,000 to \$30,000,000 invested in houses alone on the Newport cliffs all visible a long distance at sea. Belmont, Wetmore, Van Allen, Vanderbilt, Lorillard, Havemeyer, Whitney, Payne, Bennett, Erice, Palmer and Drexel are among the moneyed men. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Trouble Remains.

Captain Sigbee's apothegm, "It is better to know than to think," is likely to become a permanent saying. Yet the trouble will remain that there are so many people who think they know, but really do not know enough to think. —Pittsburg Dispatch.

The Missing Link.

An octopus recently dissected at Portland, Or., was found to be equipped with a vermiform appendix. Can it be that the human family evolved from devilfish? If it did, the connecting link with original sin has been discovered. —Binghamton Republican.

Punctured His Tire.

A Georgia poet states that he has written "six different and distinct poems on wind." Somebody ought to buy him a square meal. —Richmond Times.

TO CURE HEADACHE IN 15 MINUTE.

Take Dr. Davis' Anti-Headache. 25c.

CURES HEADACHE QUICK.

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Crushed Under a Car.

New York, March 9.—Two Italian laborers were instantly killed and two badly hurt by a two-ton dirt car which fell upon them while they were at work on the new East River bridge. The dead men were: Joseph Drumel, Dominick Dottoro. The injured are: Michael Boanacco, Vito Lena.

SIMPLICITY ITSELF.

A SIMPLE HARMLESS REMEDY

Yet It Cures the Worst Cases of Dyspepsia and Indigestion.

Dr. Jennison, who has made a life study of stomach troubles, says: "All forms of indigestion really amount to the same thing, that is, failure to completely digest the food eaten; no matter whether the trouble is acid dyspepsia or sour stomach, belching of wind, nervous Dyspepsia or loss of flesh and appetite; a person will not have any of them if the stomach can be induced by any natural, harmless way to thoroughly digest what is eaten, and this can be done by a simple remedy which I have tested in hundreds of aggravated cases with complete success. The remedy is a combination of fruit and vegetable essences, pure aseptic pepsin and gold seal put up in the form of pleasant tasting tablets and sold by druggists under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. One or two of these tablets should be taken after meals and allowed to dissolve in the mouth and mingling with the food in the stomach digests it completely before it has time to ferment, decay and sour.

On actual experiment one grain of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest three thousand grains of meat, eggs and similar wholesome foods. It is safe to say if this wholesome remedy was better known, by people generally, it would be a national blessing, as we are a nation of dyspeptics and nine-tenths of all diseases owe their origin to imperfect digestion and nutrition.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are not a secret patent medicine, but a fifty cent package will do more real good for a weak stomach than fifty dollars worth of patent medicines add a person has the satisfaction of knowing just what he is putting into his stomach, which he does not know when widely advertised patent medicines are used.

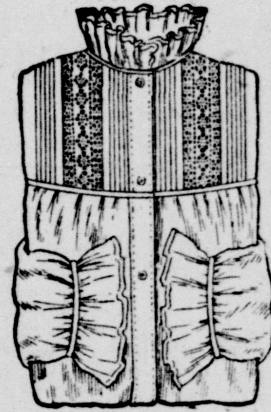
All druggists sell Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, full sized packages 50cts. A little book on cause and cure of stomach troubles mailed free by addressing The Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

Special Sale of . . .

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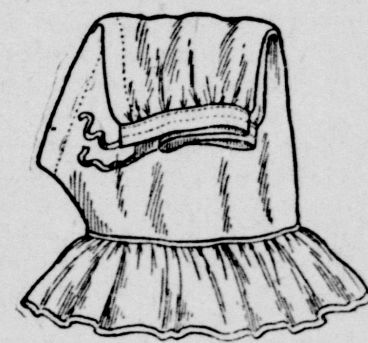
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday,
March 8th, 9th and 10th. . . .

On the above days we will offer the greatest sale of ladies' Muslin Underwear ever attempted in Janesville. We have 300 dozen pieces (over \$1600 worth) direct from the best manufacturers in this country. We have bought it for spot cash at very low prices, and on these days will offer every piece at the slightest advance over wholesale cost.



Gowns...

Lace Yoke,
Ruffle trimmed,
Like
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The lot consists of Gowns, Skirts, Corset Covers, Drawers and Chimese, and this is the way we propose to sell them:

All 35c qualities go at.....	23c
All 50c qualities go at.....	37c
All 65c qualities go at.....	47c
All \$1.00 qualities go at.....	71c
All \$1.25 qualities go at.....	97c
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We shall put on a counter by themselves a lot of last season's goods, consisting of all kinds, from which you can take your choice at one-half price.

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Will You Build ?

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In Fact Will You Require Anything Made
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A new door, a window casing; new windows; a new floor; anything new about your building, interior or exterior. There is nothing in wood we do not make, from a common door to the

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THE MID-WINTER FAIR

All thanks are due the public spirited business men who are devoting their energies to making the farmer's institute and mid-winter fair a success. No task has been so difficult for them to accomplish and no labor has been spared even though the time required was taken at the expense of private interest. While all the members of the committee have worked hard, Fred L. Clemons, the secretary, has undoubtedly had the most exacting duties. Owing to the fact that all have "pulled together" the machinery has worked smoothly and no friction of any kind mars the pleasure or reduces the profit of the visitors. The best that county fairs can produce, on hoof, in baskets and bags, in jars and jugs, and on china plates is on exhibition. The handicraft of the mechanics who furnish the tillers of the soil with the appliances for their sustenance and enjoyment is also to be seen, but above all is the feeling of condensation and good fellowship between the business men of the city, and the army of men who make the broad acres of old Rock blossom like the rose. They are working together for the common good—the advancement of the vicinity in which they live.

The institute in connection is in charge of the regular superintendent of institutes, but the conductors of all the institutes held in the state, are taking part.

Governor Scofield will speak tonight, and bankers and lawyers of state wide reputations will give the farmers the benefit of their knowledge.

The farmers' institute and mid-winter fair at Janesville has come to be a fixture, and the farmers plan to attend and exhibit their wares, for weeks in advance. The benefits to farmer, business man and citizen cannot be overestimated, and the managers whose unselfish labors make the annual gathering so pleasant for all concerned, are entitled to and receive full praise.

CONFIDENCE IN THE PRESIDENT.

The Chicago Times-Herald prefaces a column of interviews with Chicago financiers as follows:

"Chicago bankers and heads of the city's great financial institutions generally approve of the plan to place \$50,000,000 at the disposal of President McKinley for expenditures for defense in case of war. The proceedings of the Cannon bill are admitted to be wise in view of the emergency. That war is a probability local financial leaders admit, but all concede that war would be a calamity. There is a practically unanimous feeling that the nation is safe in the hands of President McKinley, no matter what complications may arise, and that he will avoid war so long as he can do so consistent with national honor. There is also a feeling of unanimity that when hostilities become inevitable he will prosecute them vigorously. This feeling makes the bankers believe that every power of government, financial and otherwise, should be placed at his disposal."

President McKinley has conducted himself like a statesman during the present excitement. His course has been commended on all sides and the whole people are supporting him in carrying out his plans.

REVOLUTIONIZE MARINE WARFARE.

The inventive genius of the country has been awakened by the "war scare," and many machines for offense and defense have been the result. Thomas Brown, of Sedalia, Mo., however, has distanced all competition so far, and if his invention proves to be practical, it will certainly revolutionize things. Mr. Brown has gotten up an aerial torpedo boat, constructed of aluminum. This boat, or battle ship, is 120 feet long and 15 feet in diameter. The inventor instructed his attorney at Washington to call upon Secretary Long and make the following proposition:

We will deliver to the government at Washington an aluminum aerial torpedo ship equipped for service, capable of crossing the ocean if necessary, carrying enough explosives to sink any battle ship or reduce a fortification, capable of speed to exceed twenty miles per hour for at least a week's time. The cost of construction will not exceed \$10,000 each, and can after arrangements are made for such work be completed in two or three weeks.

Inventor Brown has applied for patents in several foreign countries, and ordinance and naval experts say his invention is destined to revolutionize naval warfare.

The fact that the American people are prone to "take the bit in their teeth" in time of war as well as in

time of peace, is shown by the statement that about 4,000,000 false teeth are manufactured annually in the United States, while one ton of gold and three tons of silver and platinum, to the value of \$10,000,000, are used in stopping teeth.

THE MILWAUKEE CITY TICKET.

The Milwaukee republicans have nominated their city ticket, placing William Gender at the head as their candidate for mayor. The platform declares "in favor of the municipal ownership of public utilities, and believes that as soon as the financial condition of our city permits the proper step should be taken to bring this about." Compensation for franchises and lower street car fares are also demanded, and the convention went on record as being opposed to tax dodging by either individuals or corporations.

Mr. Gender, the nominee for mayor, is a manufacturer and one of the best known men of the Cream city. He had a clean majority over his opponent, Mr. Baumgaertner, on the first ballot, and his nomination was enthusiastically received. The Milwaukee republicans are united, and victory is certain.

Steve Brodie, the Brooklyn bridge jumper, is a warm advocate of a warlike policy toward Spain. The reason he gives for his readiness to welcome war, however, is novel, to say the least, but will hardly meet the endorsement of humane people generally. "I think a fight would do the country good," he says. "So many men would be killed that it would make more positions to go around and live up business generally."

The "stocking bank" has suffered another "come down." A New York woman was carrying \$800 worth of diamonds and cash in her stocking, when her garter broke. Rather than make repairs on the street, she kept on walking, and when she reached her mother's home, money and diamonds were missing.

La Crosse people have solved the problem of "keeping cool" during the present excitement, and venting their patriotism at the same time, by working up a big celebration for July 4th next.

Capt. Paddock of the Milwaukee recruiting office has received a telegram from Washington instructing him to enlist all desirable applicants for artillery service in the United States army.

A Kansas newspaper says "Money is a drug in this state." This being the case, the Kansas drug store is likely to be as profitable as the apothecary shops of Iowa.

Racine is getting to be a nice, orderly city. With the announcement that gambling is on the decrease comes the statement that the new curfew law is a decided success.

Editor Wilder, of the Madison State Journal, remarks that it is now clear that Mr. La Follette's visit to Milwaukee had no political significance.

President McKinley, it seems, takes a position on the Lee side of the question, and sailors generally will commend his judgment.

It has come to pass. The Wisconsin Winnebago Indians have elected Patrick Roddy, an Irishman, as their chief.

Judge Fish, of Racine, has decided that the civil service law passed by the last legislature is valid.

A Chicago Society Event.

Mrs. Wabash—Mrs. Lakeside is going to celebrate her golden wedding next week.

Mrs. Manhattan—You don't say so!

Mrs. Wabash—Yes; she will then have been married 50 times.—Town Topics.

What He Was About.

Lawyer—I'm afraid you'll have a hard time proving your innocence.

Bill the Burglar—Well, dang it! that's what I hired you for.—Philadelphia North American.

Those Expensive Luxuries.

Van Wither—Don't you find keeping up a yacht expensive, Von Miner?

Von Miner—Oh, no. I once kept up a camera, you know.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

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FOR SALE.

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We have just received a new supply of Window Shades which we will make the same low prices on as usual although we had to pay more for this lot as the price is advancing.

We can give you excellent Stockings...

For little money.

We have a good assortment of Handkerchiefs...

From 3 to 50 cents that can't be beat.

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We can please you in style and price as we must reduce our stock of them.

There is still some China and Crockery...

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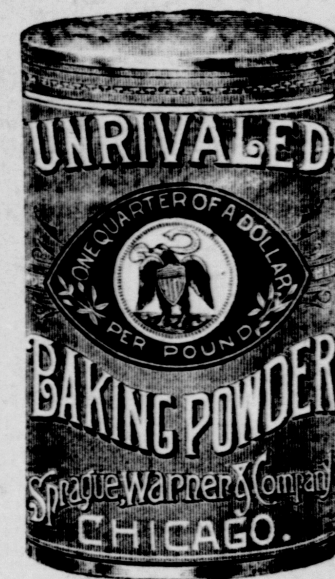
We hope to have enough to last us this week. The sales have been large and the fruit is excellent; none better for the price. All you want at 8c per dozen.

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Interesting Exercises at Court Street Church Last Evening—Many Awards Made by the Committees—Entertainment at Future Meetings Is Promised

Court Street Methodist church was filled last evening by visitor to and residents of Janesville interested in the Midwinter Fair and Farmers' Institute. The entertainment, which was in charge of C. H. Everett, was opened by a mandolin solo by George Bauman, which was greeted with applause.

"The Care of House Plants" was the topic chosen by Hon. R. J. Cor. of Fort Atkinson. She gave a familiar talk upon the subject, showing much familiarity with it.

After a musical selection by William Garbutt, Mrs. J. G. Carr, of Milton Junction, read a paper on "The Responsibility of Farmers' Sons and Daughters," which abounded in wise counsel and judicious hints.

An organ solo by Miss Ada Ford, followed by a recitation by Miss Mabel Taylor, of O'fordville, served to rest the audience, when Prof. James Healey, of Milton Junction, read a well considered paper on "Our Common Schools," which elicited high praise.

There was a large attendance at the institute today, and the discussions were full of interest. Small fruits, poultry and bee keeping occupied the morning, and sheep husbandry and swine the afternoon. The speakers were some of the best men in the state.

In order that the Midwinter Fair should not serve as a counter attraction and affect institute attendance the doors of the rink were closed until 3 o'clock this afternoon and the same will be the case tomorrow.

Judges were hard at work in the rink all day.

Prizes Awarded.

The first prize on corn, best bushel any variety, was a combined cultivator offered by the Janesville Machine Co., value \$25. It was won by L. L. Olds; F. H. Bemis, second; John Hubble, third; Charles Wells, fourth, and James A. Carroll fifth.

The first prize on tobacco was won by B. Hardwick; Leo Rooney, second; T. L. Bertness, third; Joseph Little, fourth; Ole Sevre, fifth; Walter Little, sixth, and Charles Kilmer, seventh.

The Champion draw cut mower was won by S. O. Hess, he showing a peak of potatoes that astounded spectators. Bush Bullis was second, Dexter Gray third, L. L. Olds fourth and D. O. Fairchild fifth.

The Best Cooks.

The prize winners in the culinary department were as follows: Salt rising bread—Leronia Gleason, Mrs. Mary Beach, E. O. Joiner.

Graham bread—Leronia Gleason, Mrs. George W. Loomer, Mrs. H. G. Root.

Corn bread—Mrs. G. Cross, Mrs. George Thorpe, Alice V. Gifford.

Bread from Pillsbury flour—Mrs. Ralph Blesdale, Mrs. Will Sherman.

Loaf from "Extra Pure" flour—Nellie M. Little.

Loaf from Pearl White—Mrs. W. A. Cory.

Loaf from Big Joe—Mrs. A. E. Wilcox, Mrs. John Eddy, Mrs. L. Kehoe.

Rolls from Pearl White—Mrs. Jessie Waterman.

Baking powder biscuits from Perfection powder—Mrs. Will Sherman.

Loaf from Denison's best flour—Mrs. Eugene Mitchell.

Raised biscuits—Annie Belle Little, F. G. Rumpf, J. G. Carr.

Baking powder biscuits—Mrs. F. H. Inman, Mrs. Will Sherman, J. G. Carr.

Soda biscuits—Mrs. J. S. Dennet, Mrs. H. G. Holtz, Mrs. Robert More.

Brown bread—Mrs. H. G. Holtz, Mrs. Will Sherman, Mrs. Alice Dean.

Ginger bread—Mrs. Will Sherman, Mrs. H. K. Osborn.

Cocoanut cake—Mrs. W. A. Cory, Mrs. F. H. Inman.

Chocolate cake—Mrs. C. I. Sloan, Mrs. Chas. Baines.

Sponge cake—Mrs. George Rathgin, Mrs. B. Clark, Mrs. Will Sherman.

Fruit cake—Miss Ella Wilcox, Mrs. A. Higgins, Mrs. James Kilmer.

Hickory nut cake—Mrs. Nellie McCree, Jennie Boynton, Gertrude Austin.

Angels food—Miss Maggie Cassody, R. W. Lamb.

Devil's food—Mrs. Dean Hathorn, Miss Ada Moore.

Spice cake—Miss Carrie Child, Mrs. E. L. Benedict.

Doughnuts—Mrs. Charles Baines, Mrs. Bush Bullis.

Sugar cookies—Mrs. F. H. Inman, Miss Ada Moore.

Mince pie—Mr. C. F. Lester, 1st; Mrs. H. K. Osborn, 2nd; Geo. Bennett, 3rd; Milo Auld, 4th. Mrs. Lester also won the silver dollar offered for the thirteenth pie entered. The pie that won first prize was the thirteenth brought in.

Apple pie—Mrs. F. H. Taylor, Mary Hanson.

Ginger snaps—Mrs. Ralph Blesdale; Mrs. James Plumb.

Pork and beans—Mrs. Clara E. Beckwith; Mrs. Ralph Blesdale; Martha Gioede.

Cake from Ceylon Powder—Mrs. E. W. Fisher.

Johnny cake—Carrie Bier; Miss Bessie Townsend.

In the tub butter competition the roll rim tub was won by Grant Austin, whose butter scored 98 1/2.

The other prize winners were: Mrs. J. Deerhammer, 98; Mrs. J. F. Milner.

77; S. Haight, 97; Mrs. J. Stockman, 96 1/2; Ruth Bullis, 96 1/2; James B. Bennett, 96.

Best general purpose team—John Stokes, La Prairie; John Knight, Jas. A. Carroll.

The first prize winners were a handsome pair of dapple grays.

Best draft team—M. E. Conway, Fulton; Jas. Little, Fred Hale, H. W. Tesa. W. E. Conway's team were a handsome pair of blacks.

There was lively competition in both horse classes.

Coming Evening Sessions.

The evening meetings are an important feature of the institute. Tonight and tomorrow night the meetings are held in the opera house, and the program will be as follows:

WEDNESDAY EVENING SESSION, 7:30 O'CLOCK.

Overture—Orchestra Institution for the Blind.

Paper—Mrs. H. A. Briggs, Elkhorn.

Musical—Orchestra.

Education—Mr. Robert Hlenow, Brookhead.

Recitation—Miss Mabel Taylor, O'fordville.

Quartet—Messrs. Paris, Taylor, Garbutt and Kline.

Address—Governor Edward Scofield.

Solo—Mrs. Mabel Taylor, O'fordville.

Chorus—Motet Club.

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Agricultural Education.

Dean W. A. Henry, of the University of Wisconsin.

Musical—Orchestra.

Thursday Evening Session, 7:30 O'CLOCK.

Overture—Y. M. C. A. Orchestra.

Farming in Scotland in the Days of Our Grandfathers.

Hon. John Johnston, Milwaukee.

Piano Solo—Misses Abbott and Palmer.

Piano Solo—Mrs. John F. Sweeney.

A New Function for the American Farmer.

Hon. J. V. Quarles, Milwaukee.

Solo—Mrs. Christine Hawley.

Solo—Miss Mabel Lewis.

The Farmer in the University.

President C. K. Adams, State University, Madison.

Musical—Y. M. C. A. Orchestra.

Both evening meetings will be held in the opera house. The public is cordially invited to attend. The speakers are among the foremost in the state, and the music will be especially attractive both evenings.

JANESVILLE NEWS IN BRIEF

ADLER'S gloves at Zeigler's.

SPRING sweaters at Zeigler's.

ADLER'S street gloves at Zeigler's.

ADLER'S walking gloves at Zeigler's.

HANDSOME sweaters for boys at Zeigler's.

ADLER'S gloves set the styles at Zeigler's.

FOR Adler's white dress gloves go to Zeigler's.

UNRIVALED pure cream baking powder 25c can. Sanborn.

Nice pleasant furnished rooms, with or without board, 153 E. Milwaukee street.

ANY shoe in the house \$1, and Saturday is the last day of the Trulson & Peterson stock.

THE only rubber that will wear is the "Gold Seal," try it. Spencer's "Newest" shoe store on the bridge.

TAKE your pick of any shoe remaining in the Trulson & Peterson stock for \$1. Saturday is the last day.

WHITEFISH, trout and Columbia river salmon, fresh caught. Also smoked whitefish and halibut at Sanborn's.

DON'T be alarmed. Spencer shows nothing in shoes but the "newest." We have no old stock at any price.

STYLISH, fast-fitting and low-priced, that is the way to tell it. Spencer, "newest" shoe store on the bridge.

YOU want good shoes. We keep them and only of the latest styles. Spencer, the "newest" on the bridge.

MAVELS of beauty—such are our styles in this season's colored shoes for ladies. Spencer. The "Newest" on the bridge.

WANTED—Fifty girls to assort to-bacco. Work will last far into the summer. Apply at once to J. L. & M. F. Greene.

It pays to buy a good shoe. We have nothing else; see our styles before you purchase. Spencer, the "newest" on the bridge.

FARMERS and their families during the fair will find a very complete stock of books, stationary and paper hangings. East side of the river at Sutherland's book store.

GOV. SCOFIELD arrived in the city at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Mrs. Scofield coming from Chicago at noon. They are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ogden H. Fethers, St. Lawrence Place.

WE want you to understand we are only the shoe business, giving you honest values and the right styles. Come and see us. Spencer, the "Newest" on the bridge.

WE want to interest the shoe buyers of Janesville in our new stock of up-to-date styles. Our prices are right. We buy for cash and give our patrons the benefits. Spencer's "Newest" on the bridge.

THE mince pies entered for prizes at the Midwinter fair will be sold at auction for the benefit of the Mary Kimball mission at 8 o'clock this Wednesday evening. George McKee, auctioneer at the rink.

TOMORROW, Thursday, will be the last special muslin sale day. Many ladies have already taken advantage of the extremely low prices, and those who miss it will certainly regret it. Bort, Bailey & Co.

OUR prices on furniture are lower at all seasons of the year than other dealers, but during our special March sale they are to be out to absolute cost. Our large ad. on page 8 gives you a few ideas. W. H. Ashcraft.

CHOICE apples are hard to find at this season of the year. Last fall we bought the choicest New York and Missouri apples we could find and put them in our cold storage, the temperature has remained the same ever since with the result of now giving us the choicest store in the city. We have plenty of cooking and eating apples. Sanborn.

HARVEST OF THE REAPER DEATH

MRS. ELLEN NOONAN PASSES
AWAY AT CHICAGO.

Long a Resident of Janesville and Was Highly Esteemed—Last Rites Over the Remains of Hazel Hollins—Other Mortuary Mention.

Undertaker D. Ryan received telegram announcing the death of Mrs. Ellen Noonan, which occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Cornelia, of Chicago, March 9, of cancer of the stomach.

Mrs. Noonan was formerly a resident of the town of Magnolia. She leaves one son and two daughters—Mrs. Mary Cornelia, Miss Annie Noonan and John Noonan, all of Chicago, also one brother, John Fitzgerald of this city. The funeral will arrive here tomorrow at 12:40 and will go direct to Mount Olivet cemetery.

Death of A. F. Smiley.

A. F. Smiley, a well-to-do farmer of O'fordville, was taken sick on Friday night with pneumonia, and died on Wednesday morning at 1:30 o'clock. The funeral will take place from his late home on Friday at 11 o'clock a. m. He leaves a wife, two sons and one daughter. Mr. Smiley was highly respected by the community in which he resided.

Catherine Harvey.

The remains of Mrs. Catherine Harvey arrived in the city on the noon train from Chicago, and were taken to St. Patrick's church, where services were conducted by Rev. J. J. Collins, the internment being in Mount Olivet cemetery. The bearers were: Michael Madden, Patrick Hines, Patrick Linen, William Welch, John Hines and Patrick Joyce.

Hazel Hollins.

All that was mortal of the late Hazel Hollins was tenderly laid to rest in Oak Hill cemetery this afternoon. Rev. H. W. Thompson, of the First M. E. church, conducted services from the West Milwaukee street home at 2:30 o'clock, the rooms being filled with sympathizing friends.

THE CITY IS SUED AGAIN

Miss Stringer Wants Damages for Injuries Caused by a Fall

That looked for sidewalk damage suit of Miss Katie Stringer against the City of Janesville, which was predicted in last week's issue of the Gazette, was begun today by Winans & Russell as attorneys for the plaintiff. The papers charge that the plaintiff fell on the evening of Feb. 25, 1898, in front of lot 91, Smith, Bailey & Stone's addition to the city of Janesville, on a walk that was in a defective condition, wanting repairs, and having a slanting ridge.

For Street Commissioner

To the Voters of Janesville—I take this manner of announcing that I will be a candidate for nomination as street commissioner at the coming republican convention and will appreciate any favors that may be shown. GEORGE H. PALMER.

NEWS HEARD ABOUT THE CITY

THE Royal Neighbors will meet to night.

MISS MAE VALENTINE left this morning for a two weeks' visit in Kaukauba, Ill.

E. W. RUSSELL has sold his South Bluff street grocery store to John Sidmore.

GOLD medal or very best, take your choice, you can not lose; either flour is as good as is milled, and cheap in price considering the wheat market. Sanborn.

TWENTY-FIVE cases more of those 8 cent oranges on the way. The sale on this fruit has been enormous and with this new invoice we hope to have enough to last us through the week. Sanborn.

OUR New York advisory agents wire us today to buy Manhattan. \$20 buys ten shares; \$200 buys 100 shares. We are also promised some good advices in the morning on Chicago gas; watch the correctness of these forecasts. Buy corn is our latest information from Chicago. William C. Crolius 8 Lapin block.

A BARGAIN that is not often your chance to secure at the price is an antique oak polished arm rocker strongly made with silk brocade or silk damask seat goes at \$3 during our March sale, is a bargain even at \$5, the usual price. More furniture bargains than you ever saw before at this store. See large ad on page 8. W. H. Ashcraft.

WE are selling a combination writing desk and bookcase, height 6 feet, 4 inches, during our annual clearing sale this month at \$14.50. That is cheap, regularly sold at \$18.75. This is but one of the many bargains that are here for buyers. See large ad page 8 for a more complete idea. The entire stock is cut in price this month. W. H. Ashcraft.

THE exhibitor at the Midwinter fair who secures the excellent roast of beef donated by G. J. Ercanbrack, of the People's meat market, will have a tempting dinner. His cut of meat is merely a fair sample of the stock carried at the market. One of the show windows is filled at present with a number of cuts of different kinds that are choice enough for the table of any meat crank. Mr. Ercanbrack is fast being known as a cutter who thoroughly understands his business.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

M. LIFFORD of Stevens Point is visiting in town.

MISS MYRTLE HUTCHIN, of Edgerton, is visiting in town.

MRS. FRANK LEE, of Evansville, spent the day here.

C. A. LIBBY and wife were down from Evansville today.

MISS EDNA ALLEN, of Fulton, is the guest of local friends.

D. S. BENNETT is improving fast at the Oak Lawn hospital.

I. R. JONES and F. Miller, of Beloit, took in the midwinter fair today.

A. J. LOVEJOY, a prominent live stock raiser, is here from Roscoe, Ill.

DR. JOE WHITING was called to Edgerton today to perform a surgical operation.

E. J. THIELE, formerly of this city, was here today from Chicago, talking insurance.

EDWARD H. DUDLEY and bride, of Chicago, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Dudley.

EDITOR WORTHINGTON, of the Beloit News, witnessed the class Fitzgerald show last evening.

DISTRICT Passenger Agent Gibson, of the Northwestern road, took in the midwinter fair today.

B. H. MCINTYRE, of Fort Atkinson, and C. E. King, of Whitewater, were the guests of County Clerk and Mrs. W. J. McIntyre today.

NOTICE OF ELECTION MAILED

Regular Notification Sent to Officials in County Towns.

County Clerk McIntyre was busy today in preparing for shipment 200 notices to all parts of the county to the several town clerks and inspectors of elections, notifying them of the approaching judicial election for justice of the supreme court to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Justice Newman. The election will be held on April 5.

TO BOMBARD NEW YORK.

That is the Spanish Programme in the Event of War.

A high naval authority assures me that if war does come—which is a mere speculation in futures—New York city is very likely to be bombarded. He says the half dozen armored cruisers of the Spanish fleet could anchor off Coney Island and with their 30 centimeter, or 12 inch, guns pour minute or explosive shells into lower Broadway and Wall street. A few hours of this sort of amusement, for which the yellow journals are clamoring, might cause a loss of \$500,000,000 to Gotham.

It is true that the Spanish would not have things all their own way. They would surely suffer some damage. We have batteries of 12 inch guns at Sandy Hook and others at Fort Hamilton. We might sink a cruiser or two, and such ships as we had upon the scene would be likely to give a good account of themselves. But on account of the concentration of their force the Spanish would have the best of it, and a few cruisers wrecked or damaged would not compensate for a city knocked to pieces.

It is doubtful, too, if the capture of Havana, Cienfuegos, Santiago and Matanzas by our fleets would be sufficient compensation for the destruction of lower New York. It is certain the owners of the tall buildings along lower Broadway would not think so. Yet an abandonment of Cuba to its fate and a grand rush for New York is more than likely to be the Spanish programme in case of hostilities.

Americans who suppose Spain is an insignificant antagonist are foolishly optimistic. I am assured that our navy department people have cast all this up. They have reckoned tonnage, guns, armor, torpedo boats, speed of ships and every other factor, and have come to the conclusion that Spain's navy is very nearly the equal of ours.

From the Madrid point of view it would be necessary to gain the prestige of a victory in the campaign. Nothing could be so well calculated to fire the Spanish heart and give the government a long lease of power, no matter what disaster might come later, as the bombardment of New York or some other first class American city. For this they could afford to let Havana go and throw in Matanzas and Cienfuegos for good measure.—Walter Wellman in Chicago Times-Herald.

OUR one-fourth price on all winter cloaks brings them down so that many people buy them to wear next season. T. P. Burns.

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Broker in Stocks, Grain, Provisions and Cotton.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE CAME TO TOWN TO BE JOINED IN WEDLOCK

ELDERLY COUPLE FROM ILLINOIS MARRIED HERE.

They Sent for a Clergyman, and the Ceremony Was Performed in a Hotel—No Doubt the Newly Wedded Couple Are Happy as Clams Now.

When the noon train from Holcomb, Ill., arrived in town a gentleman of about 55 years and a handsome young lady of about 25, alighted and were at once driven to the Grand hotel.

At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon the sent for Rev. Mr. Maynor, of Trinity church, who soon arrived on the scene and made them man and wife.

The aged but happy groom gave the name of David Shesff, of Holcomb, while the blushing bride said her name was Mary Francis Conant and that she resided in Monroe Center, Ill.

SHE CALLS JANESVILLE HOME

Charming Actress Who Was Brought Up in This City.

But few in the audience last evening at the opera house realized that a Janesville girl was among those who took a most prominent part in the Olay Fitzgerald show.

To the theatrical world she is known as Jean Mawson, and last evening she acted to perfection the part of Alice Mynall. To Janesville friends this young lady is known as Miss Duller, whose mother resides at 451 South Jackson street. She is both handsome and graceful, and is fast winning her way on the stage.

Not His Fault.

The dromedary wandered one day beyond his accustomed range.

"In order to prevent a wrong impression," he said, in a haughty manner to the animals of the plain, as they gathered about to inspect the stranger, "I take occasion to explain that I am not a scorcher. I was born this way."—Chicago Tribune.

A Restaurant Idyl.

Mary had a little lamb.

But she thought it was immense: With new green peas and other things It cost her ninety cents.

—Chicago Record.

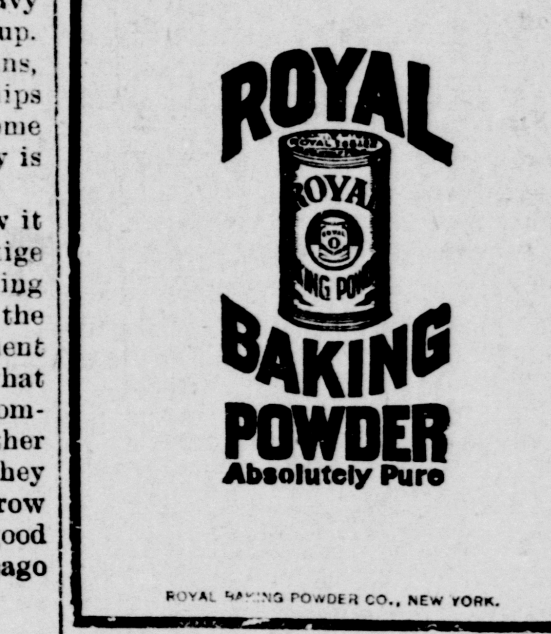
NOT HIS SPECIALTY.



"Will he get well, doctor?"

"Get well, madame! Is it for that that you called me?"—La Caricatures.

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UPHOLD THE NATION'S HONOR. SHE MUST YIELD OR FIGHT.

Without a Dissenting Vote the House Votes the \$50,000,000 Asked For for National Defenses—The Bill Introduced in the Senate.

Washington, March 9.—In a spirit of patriotism, with eloquent words ringing in their ears, every member of the house of representatives Tuesday responded to the President's first call to meet the Spanish situation by casting a vote for a bill placing in President McKinley's hands \$50,000,000 to be expended at his discretion for the national defense.

Party lines were swept away and with a unanimous voice congress voted its confidence in the administration. Many members who were paired with absent colleagues took the responsibility of breaking their pairs, an unprecedented thing in legislative annals, in order that they might go on record in support of this vast appropriation to maintain the dignity and honor of their country. Speaker Reed, who as the presiding officer seldom votes, except in case of a tie, had his name called and voted in his capacity as a representative. The scene of enthusiasm which greeted the announcement of the vote—yeas, 311; nays, none—has seldom been paralleled in the house.

All the speeches were brief. Although four hours were allowed for debate, so great was the pressure for time that no one member was given more than five minutes and most of them had to content themselves with a beggarly fraction of a minute.

In all fifty-nine speeches were made. With one acclaim members from the north and the south, the east and the west, the states and the territories, battle-scarred veterans of the Union and the Confederate armies, all joined in proclaiming their support of the country's chief magistrate in the face of a possible foreign war. Gen. Grosvenor of Ohio said that if war did not come the \$50,000,000 appropriated by this bill would be wisely expended if it only served to show the world that when threatened from without the hearts of the American people beat as one.

While almost every member who spoke deprecated the possibility of war, a wide divergence of opinion manifested itself in the debate as to how close the country was to hostilities. The general contention by the majority, among them the leaders on both sides, was that this appropriation, by preparing for war, would prove the surest guaranty of peace. Others insisted that war alarms would soon be heard, and Mr. Mann of Illinois declared that war actually existed in all save name.

As soon as the journal had been read the speaker rapped for order, and amid a deep silence Mr. Cannon, chairman of the appropriations committee, arose and presented a deficiency bill, the measure appropriating \$50,000,000 for the national defense. When the reading of the bill was concluded a spontaneous outburst of applause went up from the members and the galleries. Mr. Cannon and Mr. Sayers, the minority member of the appropriations committee, then mutually proposed an agreement they had previously made before the house met for three hours' general debate on the bill, to be followed by one hour's debate under the five-minute rule.

The debate closed at 4:20 p. m. When the question was put on the passage of the bill the whole house rose en masse in its favor, but Mr. Cannon asked for the yeas and nays. He did so, he said, at the request of many members who desired that every member should go on record.

Every member present voted for the bill, many of them assuming the responsibility of breaking their pairs in order to place themselves on record. At the conclusion of the roll call the speaker had his name called, an unusual proceeding, and, amidst great applause, voted for the bill. When he announced the vote "311 yeas, nays none," an enthusiastic demonstration occurred.

BILL REACHES THE SENATE.

At Once Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Washington, March 9.—The house bill appropriating \$288,000 for the book agents of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, for the use of their printing house, books, paper and other property in Nashville, Tenn., by the army in 1864-5, was taken up in the senate Tuesday. The bill was passed without amendment.

The partial conference report on the legislative bill was presented and agreed to.

At 4:50 p. m., during the discussion of the bill, a message was received from the house conveying to the senate the bill appropriating \$50,183,000 for national defense, just passed by the house. The bill was laid before the senate and on motion of Mr. Allison of Iowa, referred to the committee on appropriations.

Conflagration in Manila.

Victoria, B. C., March 9.—The steamer Empress of India, which arrived Tuesday, brings news of a terrible conflagration at Manila, capital of the Spanish possessions in the south seas, Feb. 7. It is said that over 200 houses, stores and other buildings were destroyed by the fire. The loss is estimated at fully \$5,000,000. It is hard to say how many deaths were caused as a result of the fire. Some say about 200. Other estimates are smaller.

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Powerful Combination of Her Enemies Will Require Aggressive Measures—Naval Estimates Have Been Very Largely Increased.

London, March 9.—European diplomats regard the international situation in the old world at the present moment as far more serious and critical than that between the United States and Spain. There is no longer much doubt that Great Britain's declaration that she would go to war rather than be deprived of the markets of the far east or suffer the dismemberment of the Chinese empire will soon be put to the test.

Both Russia and France are apparently determined to disregard or treat as a mere bluff the recent British assertions of a limit beyond which she would not allow her rivals to trespass on her prestige.

These limits have now been reached and overstepped, both in China and West Africa, and all Europe is waiting at the present moment to know what Great Britain's answer will be. Two years ago, in a less serious crisis, it was the sudden equipment of the flying squadron. It will require something more formidable than that to check the aggression of Great Britain's rivals today.

While seeking peace, Great Britain is preparing for war on even a more extensive scale than the United States. Not only is there the greatest possible activity in the naval and war departments, but there is creditable authority for stating that Great Britain is negotiating for half a dozen warships which Spain is trying to secure.

TO BE FIT FOR WAR.

Britain to Build New Ships—6,340 More Men Are to Be Recruited.

London, March 9.—The British naval estimates have been issued. They increase the expenditures by £1,440,400 (\$7,202,000), increase the personnel of the navy by 6,340 men and provide for the building of three new battleships, four armored cruisers and four sloops of war.

The total number of war vessels now in course of construction includes twelve battleships, sixteen first-class cruisers, six second-class cruisers, ten third-class cruisers, six sloops of war, four twin-screw gunboats and forty-one torpedo boat destroyers.

Japan Makes Threats.

Peking, March 9.—The Russian demands from China have caused the greatest excitement at the Japanese legation, and the Japanese minister has had several interviews with the officials of the Tsung Li Yamen (the Chinese foreign office), urging the rejection of the Russian demands. In addition, it is reported that Japan has threatened to take vigorous action if the demands of Russia are conceded.

Russia Preparing for War.

London, March 9.—A dispatch to the Times from Odessa says that troops and war material are going to the far east with such haste that the Russian volunteer fleet will not suffice. The government, therefore, has chartered some French steamers, the first of which will start a fortnight hence with 2,000 men.

Cable Bill Agreed Upon.

Washington, March 9.—The Pacific cable bill was agreed on in the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce. It provides for the construction of a cable from San Francisco to Japan, via the Hawaiian Islands, and grants an annuity of \$100,000 for twenty years, in consideration of which all United States government messages are to be thereafter and in perpetuity transmitted free. The government is to take full possession of the cable plant in case of war or other emergency.

Hawley Bill Is Now a Law.

Washington, March 9.—The President has signed the Hawley bill providing for two additional regiments of artillery to man the coast defenses.



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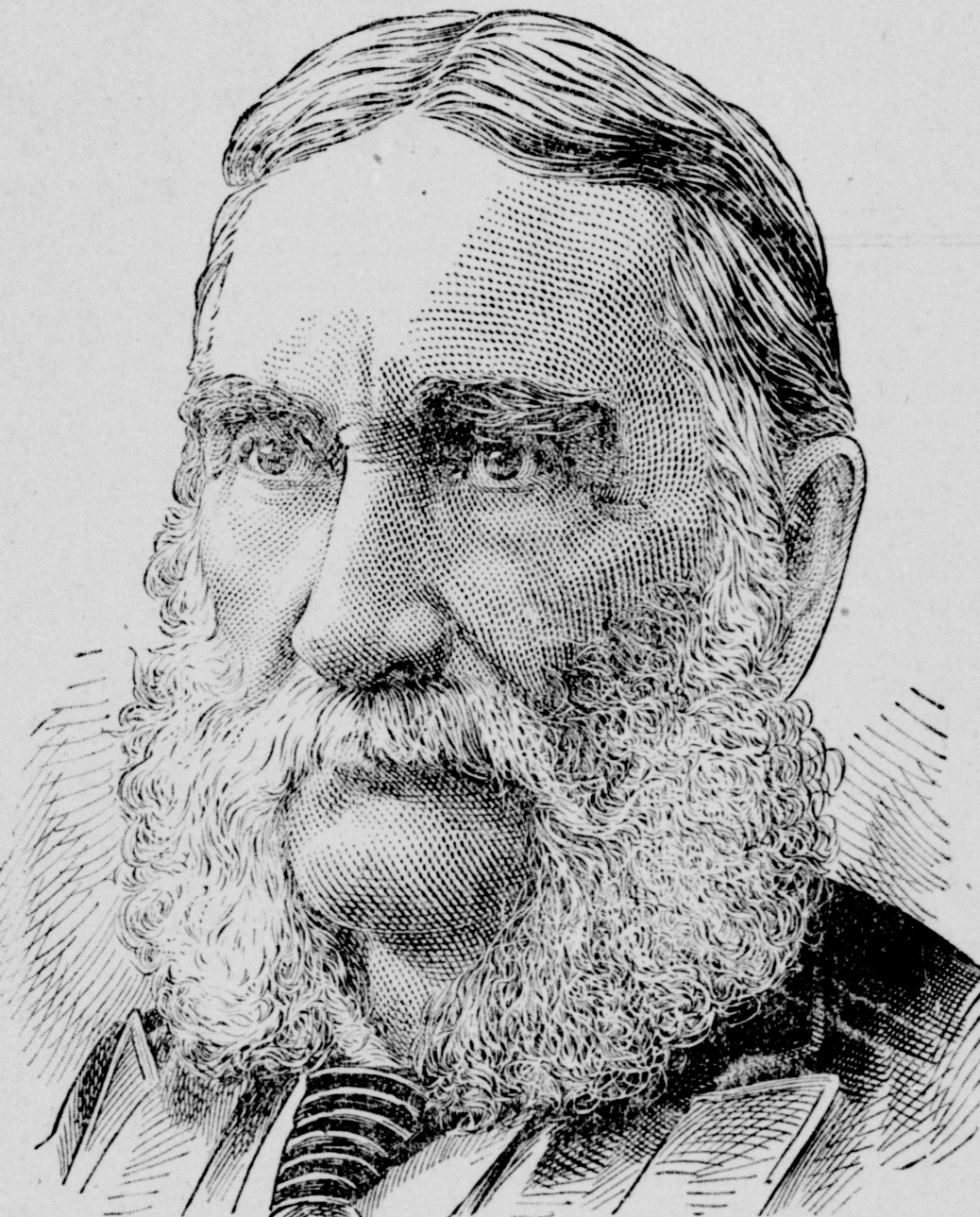
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GEN. LONGSTREET, WHO RECOMMENDS DR. GREENE'S NERVURA TO THE PEOPLE.

Among the great central figures of the war, Gen. Longstreet stands out in brilliant military fame and glory. As are associated the names of Grant, Sherman and Sheridan, so will the pages of history associate the names of Lee, Longstreet and Jackson, comprising the six greatest generals of the Rebellion.

Gen. James Longstreet, the last survivor of this illustrious group of leaders and commanders of the armies, lives at present at 1217 New Hampshire Ave., Washington, D. C., and although 76 years of age, is now hale and hearty, and as all the world knows, has recently married a young wife.

In talking of his present good health, the General spoke in the highest terms of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, stating that he had been using this wonderful medicine with highly commendable results. In fact, so well pleased is he with its beneficial effects in his own case, that from his own personal knowledge and experience of its marvelous curative powers, he recommends its use to those who need medicine.

General Longstreet says:—
"It gives me pleasure to add my testimony to the many others in favor of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, which I have used with highly beneficial results and am able to commend its virtues from experience. I have used it for catarrh and have derived help."

STATE OF WISCONSIN—ROCK COUNTY—

City of Janesville—ss
To the Janesville Electric Light & Power Company:

You are hereby notified that a warrant of attachment has been issued against you and your property attached to satisfy the demand of F. E. FIFIELD and J. S. FIFIELD, amounting to the sum of \$18.62.

Now, unless you shall appear before M. P. Richardson a justice of the peace, in and for said county, at his office in the city of Janesville on the 25th day of March, 1898, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, judgment will be rendered against you and your property sold to pay the debt.

Dated this 4th day of March, A. D. 1898.
F. E. FIFIELD and J. S. FIFIELD,
Plaintiffs.
Fethers, Jeffris, Fifield & Mount, Attorneys for plaintiffs.

L. F. Patten, Attorney.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—CIRCUIT COURT
FOR ROCK COUNTY—Michael Geiss, plaintiff, vs. Hannah Arquette, John Arquette, and J. L. Mahoney, defendants.

You are hereby summoned to the said Defendants: you are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid, and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

L. F. PATTEN,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
P. O. Address Janesville, Rock Co., Wis.
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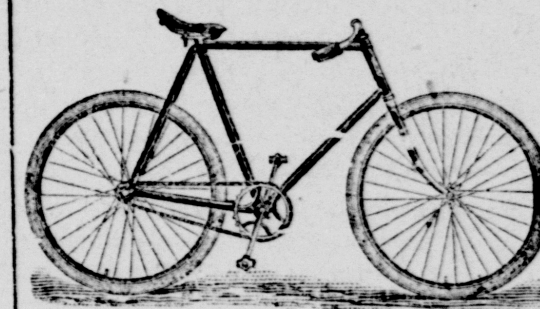


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It has always been the aim of this store to hold its reputation as sellers of the best made Shoes to the highest notch. The Shoes we have purchased for this season's trade will heighten this reputation. We guarantee every piece of footwear we sell. Come in and look over spring styles. Needn't buy until later unless you desire to.

C. C. BENNETT SHOE COMPANY.

Foot Fitting Shoe Men.

On the Bridge.

HEROES OF IRELAND.

GREAT COMMEMORATION GATHERING IS SOON TO MEET.

Recalls Wars of 1798—American Visitors to Ireland Will Use an Entire Fleet. Receptions Are Planned—United Societies' Hand in the Celebration.

Preparations for the centennial celebration of the Irish insurrection of 1798 are assuming proportions that bid fair to make the event one of the historical landmarks of the present century. From all parts of the earth the loyal Irish will make return pilgrimages to their native land, where memorial festivities in honor of the patriots of 1798 will be continued throughout the entire summer. Nor will the celebration be confined to Ireland. In every country and every city where Hibernians are congregated plans are being laid to make the affair as great as numbers and resources will allow. In Chicago the celebration is in the hands of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and the United Irish societies. The former body, benevolent and patriotic, has about 40 divisions in this city, enrolling a total of some 7,500 men. The United



BOURKE COCKRAN.

Irish societies is a union of the Hibernian literary and social clubs about the city. A hundred or more clubs are included, with Mr. John T. Keating as president. Both these big concerns, with all their component factors, have united in an effort to make Chicago's celebration of the centennial of 1798 as imposing and memorable an occasion as their combined numbers and resources can provide.

The great pilgrimage from American shores will make its start from New York. Two thirty-eight Centennial associations are arranging for the charter of an entire fleet of the fastest steamships that cross the Atlantic. Nearly 5,000 people already have signified their intention of going in this party. While the celebration in Ireland may be protracted through the entire summer, the most important exercises will be held during the visit of the American contingent. Bourke Cockran has been selected as chief orator of the celebration. It is expected that his memorial address, now in preparation, will surpass any previous rhetorical effort of his life and become a permanent and worthy addition to Irish literature.

The celebration is well organized. The officers of the association will sail on a special vessel, which will act as a flagship to the fleet. It will leave New York on the fourth of July. Arrangements have been made providing the most comfortable first class, railroad and carriage fares and hotel accommodations for the nine days in Ireland all for \$160. Tickets will be good for one year after date of departure from New York. Payment may be made in four installments before March 31 next.

A most elaborate reception is to be given the visitors from America upon their arrival at Queenstown. Indeed such is the sentiment which residents of Ireland feel for their brethren in America that the visitors from this country may expect to find themselves during their entire visit in the position of their nation's guests of honor. The mayor of Cork, working with a committee, has completed arrangements which make the reception in that city an assured success. In Dublin it is proposed to lay the foundation stone of a great national memorial to the heroes of 1798. The exercises will consist in large part of visits to the historic battlefields.

The presence of a vast body of American-Irish at these ceremonies is looked to as a stimulus to the national feeling among the Irish people. It was the success of the American Revolution that inspired the Irish insurrection. It is to America that Ireland looks for her example of progress and freedom. During the actual celebration, at least, Irish factional feelings will be laid aside, replaced by a strong sentiment of national unity. It is the lack of unity that has acted as a barrier to the progress of Irish gain in political rights; it is the hope of some of the leaders that the brotherly feeling inspired by the coming revival of patriotism will prove lasting and that the allegiance of non-resident Hibernians may be freshly excited and strengthened.

However, a part of the plan for the exercises is to carefully omit any and all discussion or mention of matters of contemporary politics. Unification, nothing more, is the present purpose. What the whole movement may bring to unhappy Ireland it would require a prophet to predict.

Concerning the visitors from America, John E. Redmond says: "Their presence in Ireland must inevitably tend to stimulate the national feeling of the people, and therefore to strengthen the national movement, and I should not be surprised if one of the results of their visit would be that the dissensions and troubles of the last few years would disappear and the whole of the Irish people come back to those lines of absolute independence of English political parties on which Parnell acted, and by pursuing which alone Ireland can hope to obtain her freedom."—Chicago Tribune.

ARE LOYAL TO SILVER.

Illinois Democrats Speak—The Resolutions Adopted.

Springfield, Ill., March 9.—The Democratic state central committee met here Tuesday. The object of the meeting was to act in concert with similar conferences held at principal points throughout the state in establishing a uniform ratio of representation in senatorial conventions so as to avoid complications in the event of the new apportionment being declared illegal by the supreme court and also to arrange for the thorough organization of the party for the coming campaign.

Capt. James E. Hogan of Christian was elected chairman and John Eddy of McLean secretary.

The committee on resolutions reported the following, which were adopted: "Be it resolved, by the Democrats of central Illinois, That we indorse and reaffirm our allegiance to the Democratic national platform as adopted by the Chicago convention in 1896 in full and without reservation, emphasizing, however, as the paramount issue before the people in the campaign of 1898, that plank of said platform which demands the free and unlimited coinage of both silver and gold at the present existing ratio of 16 to 1, without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation.

"Resolved, That we favor the renomination of William J. Bryan for president in 1900.

"Resolved, That we call the attention of the people to the Democratic administration of ex-Gov. John P. Altgeld as in glorious contrast to the present administration of state affairs, which has been remarkable only for the lavish expenditure of the people's money and the fleecing of the municipalities of their rights and the enrichment of the syndicates or trusts which were organized and flourished under the fostering care of the Republican state administration.

"We condemn as unpatriotic and un-American the weak and truckling policy of the national administration, which considers the interest of the bondholder as of more importance than the national honor and the lives of heroic American seamen, and hereby express the warmest sympathy for the Cubans in their valiant struggle for independence.

"We denounce the action of Gov. Tanner in calling the legislature in extraordinary session for the sole purpose of enacting vicious legislation at enormous expense to the taxpayers of the state. The illegal gerrymander is calculated to disfranchise Democratic voters, and the revenue law is a fraud to benefit the tax-dodger and place an additional burden upon the already overburdened taxpayers.

"We denounce the legislation of the Republican party in Illinois in fostering trusts and monopolies by means of 'boodle,' thereby debauching the representatives of the people and bringing into disrepute our republican form of government.

"We cordially invite all political parties and independent voters who oppose the rule of monopolies and trusts and favor a return of the government to the principles of Jefferson and Jackson to join with us in overthrowing the grand octopus of modern Republicanism.

"Resolved, That it is the duty of the Democratic party to place tickets in the field for county and township officers in every county and township in the state, and that candidates be nominated, from constable up, who are in full accord and sympathy with the national platform of 1896."

The following report of the committee on senatorial representation was also adopted:

"Your committee respectfully reports that in view of the recent gerrymandering of the senatorial apportionment and the fact that said apportionment will doubtless be annulled by the Supreme court, it is desirable that a uniform ratio of apportionment be established; therefore, it is recommended that in senatorial districts represented in this conference the ratio in each county be one delegate for each 200 votes and one delegate for each fraction of 100 votes or over cast for William J. Bryan at the last Presidential election, and the state central committee is requested to take such measures as may be proper to secure such uniform representation."

Michigan Wheat in Good Condition.
Lansing, Mich., March 9.—The Michigan crop report for March says that wheat throughout the state has been well covered with snow during the last month and has not been injured. The amount of last year's crop thus far marketed is 11,359,400 bushels, or 4,481,957 bushels more than was marketed at this time last year. It is estimated that the farmers still have 5,165,000 bushels for the market. This year's acreage is estimated at 1,600,000 acres.

Indiana Republicans Meet.
Indianapolis, Ind., March 9.—Many representatives of the Republican party are in attendance at the meeting of the state committee. Chairman Hernley will announce his executive committee and the date of the state convention will probably be fixed. William R. McKeen of Terre Haute will be at the head of the executive committee.

Declare the Law Constitutional.
Indianapolis, Ind., March 9.—The Supreme court has affirmed the constitutionality of the indeterminate sentence law, enacted by the legislature of 1897 and under which the state prison at Jeffersonville was converted into a reformatory.

Unvalued Baking Powder.—A pure cake of tartar requires 10 to 15 cents a pound for food laws. 25 cents a pound for sale. Salsboro.

LIMIT TIME FOR TALK.

Effort to Conclude Debate on Iowa Board of Control Bill.

Des Moines, Iowa, March 9.—The senate spent its fifth day on the first section of the board of control bill without reaching a vote. The opponents of the measure have adopted dilatory tactics. After the substitute by Mr. Lewis for the first section is disposed of a rule will be adopted to limit speeches to ten minutes.

The house passed a bill looking to the settlement of a long-drawn-out controversy in Guthrie county over the county high school. It provides that a county high school may be established or disestablished by a majority vote by the county. The house, by a vote of 59 yeas to 27 nays, defeated the bill to give the five members of the special committee to look after the annotation and publication of the code \$2,500, the speaker holding it required a two-thirds vote.

SPECIAL SESSION CALLED.

Gov. Pingree Orders Legislature to Meet to Reform Taxation.

Lansing, Mich., March 9.—For the purpose of forcing the state legislature to consider the question of the local taxation of the property of railway, telephone and telegraph companies, in accordance with the bill already read prepared, Governor Pingree Tuesday afternoon issued a call convening the state legislature in special session on Tuesday, March 22.

What Dr. A. E. Salter Says.

BUFFALO, N. Y.,—Gents: From my personal knowledge, gained in observing the effect of your Shiloh's cure in cases of advanced consumption, I am prepared to say it is the most remarkable remedy that has ever been brought to my attention. It has certainly saved many from consumption. For sale by People's Drug Co.

Madrid Talks of Peace.

Madrid, March 9.—A semi-official news agency of this city issues the following announcement: "After brief uneasiness there is a general belief now that peace will not be broken and that the relations between Spain and the United States will continue amicable. Political personages assert that the late sensational dispatches are completely wrong in attributing an aggressive tone to the diplomatic relations between the two governments, which have not for a single moment lost their friendly character."

Draper Stays at Champaign.

Champaign, Ill., March 9.—In response to the message advising him of his election as superintendent of schools of Greater New York, and asking him if he would confer with a committee in regard to the matter, Dr. Draper wired as follows: "I will, of course, see your committee if you desire, and will be here the remainder of the week, but have no thought of accepting the superintendency, and have so informed our board of trustees now in session."

Cure that cures with Shiloh's cure. The best cough cure relieves every promptly. One million bottles sold last year. 19 doses for 25 cents. Sold by People's Drug Co.

The Correct Forms

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To Move Troops Promptly.

Denver, March 9.—Active preparations for moving the troops stationed at Fort Logan are being made, and everything is being put in readiness for a sudden call for duty. The Denver and Rio Grande Railroad has been instructed by the war department at Washington to be prepared to move the troops upon notice.

To Buy European Warships.

Washington, March 9.—Commander Brownson of the navy will sail at once for Europe to expend a portion of the \$50,000,000 authorized by Congress for national defenses. This was decided upon at the conference held at Secretary Long's office this morning at which leading naval officers, Senators and Representatives were present. The move is regarded as the most significant step taken by this country since the war spirit first developed.

Merritt to Inspect Forts.

New York, March 9.—Especially interest is taken in military circles in the trip of Gen. Wesley Merritt, commanding the department of the East, to Key West and other southern Atlantic defenses. As Key West is the nearest point to Spanish possessions, the inspection by Gen. Merritt of the fortifications there is of particular importance.

Working Night and Day.

Washington, March 9.—The Washington navy yard, where a large establishment is maintained by the government for the manufacture of guns and ordnance material, has started work in three shifts and men are now working there night and day on big guns.

Big Advance in Wages.

Philadelphia, March 9.—As the result of a conference recently held between Thomas Dolan and a number of workmen employed in the cloth mills of Thomas Dolan & Co., a 12 per cent increase has been granted to take effect this week.

MANY PEOPLE CANNOT DRINK coffee at night. Is this your sleep? You can drink Shiloh's when you are tired and sleep like a baby. For 100 years it does not change. It is a pure, clean, healthy drink. Yet it looks as if it were the best coffee. For nervous persons, young people and children. Grand for the young. Sale from 100 to 100. Get a package from your grocer today. Try it in place of coffee 10 and 20c.



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New lot just received. Street Gloves and Walking Gloves of the famous Adler make. Spring styles and colors are pretty. \$1.00 to \$2.00 they sell at.

A Word About Repairs

Our repair department is in charge of a first-class tailor. We do repairing, cleaning and pressing of all kinds at moderate prices. If you have cloth you wish made up we will cut, make and trim it in the best manner. All clothes bought at our store we keep in press free of charge.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS, STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY IN PROBATE.

Notice is hereby given that at the regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of Sept., A. D. 1898, being Sept. 8th, 1898, at 9 o'clock, a. m. the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted: All claims against Wilhelm Bohm, late of the city of Janesville, said county, deceased. All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 15th day of August, A. D. 1898, or be barred—Dated Feb. 15, 1898.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE, County Judge.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—IN PROBATE.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of Feb., 1899, at 10 o'clock, a. m. the following matters will be heard and considered: The petition of Mary C. Haviland and Merritt H. Haviland, co-executors and executor of the will of John H. Haviland, deceased, for a license to administer the estate of said deceased, and the expenses of administration of his estate as to the Court upon the hearing may seem expedient.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE, County Judge.

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THE RAILROAD TIME-TABLES.

Chicago & Northwestern	Leave	Arrive
Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon	6:40 a.m.	9:30 p.m.
Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon	7:40 a.m.	8:10 p.m.
Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon	12:40 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon	1:40 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon	2:40 p.m.	6:30 a.m.
Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon	3:40 p.m.	11:30 a.m.
Chicago Via Clinton & Sharon	4:40 p.m.	6:40 a.m.
Beloit, Rockford, DeKalb		
Freeport, Canada, Denver	8:25 a.m.	10:25 a.m.
all Nebraska and La. points		
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport,		
and Elgin	7:30 p.m.	10:25 a.m.
Waterloo, Fond du Lac		
Waunakee & Milwaukee	12:45 p.m.	12:15 p.m.
Watertown & J. near Freight	4:00 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
Watertown	8:15 p.m.	1:00 a.m.
Evansville, Brooklyn, Oregon		
Madison, Elroy, LaCrosse		
Winona and points in Minn		
and Dak.	6:30 a.m.	
Evansville, Madison, Elroy		
LaCrosse, Winona & St. Paul	11:40 a.m.	3:00 p.m.
Leyden, Fellows, Evansville		
Brooklyn, Oregon, Madison	8:05 p.m.	8:20 a.m.
Evansville, Madison, St. Paul		
and Duluth	9:30 p.m.	6:20 p.m.
Evansville, Madison, St. Paul		
Winona & Dakota	12:45 a.m.	7:20 p.m.
Evansville, Madison & Elroy		
Chicago Via Beloit & Harvard	2:15 p.m.	1:15 p.m.
Beloit	10:40 p.m.	
Watertown, Fond du Lac		
Bellevue and points north	7:00 a.m.	10:40 p.m.
Beloit, Rockford & Elgin		
*Daily & Sunday only		

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	Leave	Arrive
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford	11:10 p.m.	12:50 p.m.
and Beloit	7:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
Madison, Watertown,	10:30 a.m.	8:10 p.m.
Waunakee & Elgin	10:30 a.m.	5:35 p.m.
Elgin	4:40 p.m.	7:40 p.m.
Portage and LaCrosse	9:40 a.m.	9:17 a.m.
St. Paul, LaCrosse,	7:00 p.m.	6:35 p.m.
Edgerton, Stoughton, Mad-		
ison, Lone Rock, Richland		
Center, Prairie du Rocher		
McGregor, Portage, La		
Crosse, Winona, St. Paul,		
and Minneapolis	4:40 p.m.	
Iowa, Minnesota, North and		
South Dakota, St. Paul		
and Minneapolis, through		
sleeping and reclining chair		
cars via McGregor daily		
except Saturday	9:20 a.m.	9:17 a.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford	9:35 a.m.	4:10 p.m.
and Beloit, (daily)	11:30 a.m.	
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford,		
Beloit, Delavan, Elkhart,	11:30 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
and Racine		
Kansas City, Chicago, El-		
gin, Rockford, Freeport,		
Savanna, Dubuque, Rock-		
ford, Rockford, Savanna,		
St. Louis, Omaha, Den-		
ver and west to St. Louis	6:30 p.m.	6:00 a.m.
Source and Mineral Pt.	9:30 a.m.	4:10 p.m.
Source and Mineral Pt.	6:10 p.m.	9:25 a.m.
Source and Mineral Pt.	6:10 p.m.	4:40 p.m.
Source and Mineral Pt.	6:10 p.m.	6:10 p.m.
Source and Mineral Pt.	6:10 p.m.	6:10 p.m.
*Sunday only		
*Daily except Sunday		
*Except Saturday		

MAILS ARRIVE AND DEPART.

JANESVILLE MAILS	Arrive	Close
Chicago, East, West, South-	6:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
west and North-west	7:25 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Chicago, East, North and		
North-west	9:40 a.m.	12:20 p.m.
Chicago, North, East, West	12:40 p.m.	
Chicago, East and all points	6:00 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
North and West	6:30 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
SUNDAY MAILS		
Chicago, East, South and		
South-west	6:00 a.m.	
North, North-west, etc.	7:20 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
SUNDAY ONLY		
Chicago, East, West and		
South		7:00 p.m.
Johnston and Richmond	11:00 a.m.	2:30 p.m.
Emerald Grove and Fair-		
field	11:00 a.m.	2:00 a.m.

Warned By Smell of Smoke

The many fires of late have made people think about their insurance—the companies in which it is written, and the amount covered. The good business man does not forget that his property may go next. He does not expose himself to a crippling loss.

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In the Swim.
No declaration of his love
Could she by art entice;
But when they both a-skating went,
He quickly broke the ice.
—N. Y. Journal.

HE NEEDED A WHOLE CROP.



Grandpapa—Well, little lady, will you give me a lock of that pretty hair of yours?
Majority—Yes, gran'pa; but—(hesitating)—I don't think one lock would be enough, would it?—Punch.

Human Nature.
Breathes there a man with soul so dead,
Who never to himself has said:
"Were I paid according to my worth,
I'd have a mortgage on the earth?"
—Chicago Daily News.

No Evidence of Intelligence.
Biographical Editor—Did Gotrox come from a very intelligent family?
Court Reporter—I hardly think so. The names of his father and uncles occur frequently on the jury lists, and one member of his family served in the legislature.—N. Y. Journal.

It Pays to Trade at..

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Special Sale of...

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Special opportunity to purchase Hosiery at greatly reduced prices. Quality guaranteed. . .

Children's extra heavy ribbed fast black Hose, all sizes, regular 25c values; one day only, at....

17c

Ladies' extra fine Hose, fast black, high spliced heel; same Hose often sold for 35c by some merchants; special price for one day....

19c

Ladies' fine Cashmere Hose, fast black, double sole, high spliced heel; regular 65c Hose; special for one day, at....

43c

Ladies' fast black silk Hose, high spliced heel, regular dollar quality; special for one day, at....

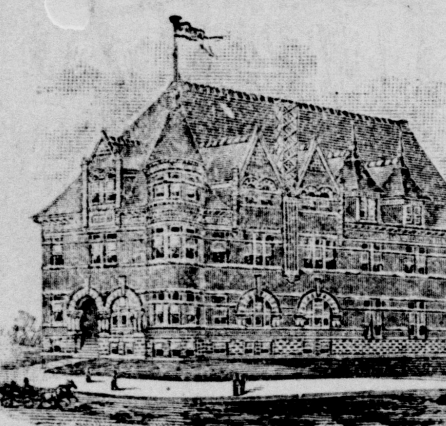
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GREAT ANNUAL FURNITURE SALE.

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Dining Room Furniture

Quarter-sawed oak and sideboards, china closets, dining room tables and chairs.
Oak sideboard, pattern top, Dining Tables, antique bevel plate mirror, silver Oak, heavy fluted drawer lined, hand carved legs, regular and polished, regular-ly \$12.50, sale price, **\$9** for - **\$3 50**
\$21.00 sideboard, **\$14 50** \$13.50 table, - **\$ 7 75**
\$27.50 sideboard, **20.00** \$18 75 table, - **12.50**

China Closets

Solid oak and made by the finest Grand Rapids manufacturers
\$14 75 China Closets for - **8 25** \$18.00 China Closets for - **12 00**

Dining Chairs

Solid quarter sawed oak, hand carved, carved and polished.
\$1.50 antique cane seat dining chairs for - **1 00** \$3.25 box seat dining chairs for - **2 75c**
\$1.25 chairs, - **75c**



Combination Writing Desk and Book Case
In mahogany, curly birch, quarter sawed oak and mahogany finish.

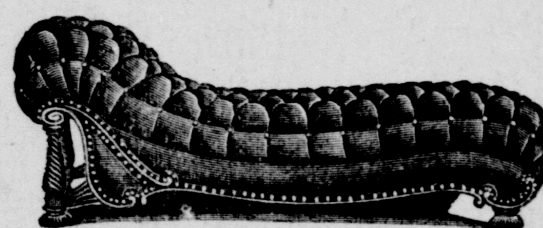
\$14 25 combination for **9.75**
Greatest bargain ever had in our store; at regular \$18.75 price it is cheap. Height 6 ft. 4 in. **14 50**
March sale price.....

Antique Oak, polished, strongly made arm Rocker with silk brocatelle and silk damask seat, never sold for less than \$5.00, and worth every cent of it; March sale price.. **3 00**

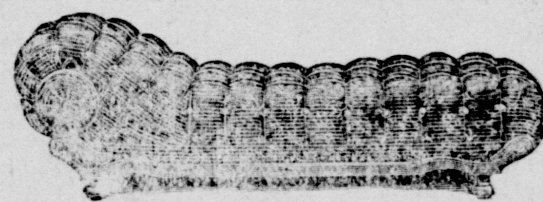
Parlor and Library Tables

Quarter sawed oak and mahogany finished, square and oval shapes, correct construction.
\$2 50 table for **1.50**
\$4.75 table for **2.50**

Library Couches



In leather, corduroy, tapestry and latest shades velours, our own make,
\$22.00 for **17.00**
\$16 50 velour couch **12 50**



Antique oak and mahogany finished tabourette,
\$1.50 tabourette **75c**
\$2 75 tabourette **1 50**

W. H. ASHCRAFT.

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AND UNDERTAKER.

Suits and Skirts.

In the correct styles for Spring of '98 can be seen here. The line comprises the best things from leading manufacturers; garments that are absolutely correct in every detail of material, trimming, tailoring and price. Probably you'll not find another such assortment elsewhere in this vicinity.



However, we shall be glad to have you look before coming here, for then you will be still more deeply impressed with the superiority of our department.

Stylish women have found that this store is first to show correct apparel of every description—first to show for spring of '98 the correct models in Tailor Made Suits and separate Skirts—by all odds the largest line in Southern Wisconsin. Janesville agency for "Worth" Dress Skirts, noted for their excellence of finish—every skirt with a pocket, finished seams, and all the little details looked after. You might notice the windows for a display of a few special garments.

All this week we shall make a feature of Suits, Skirts and Jackets for Spring.

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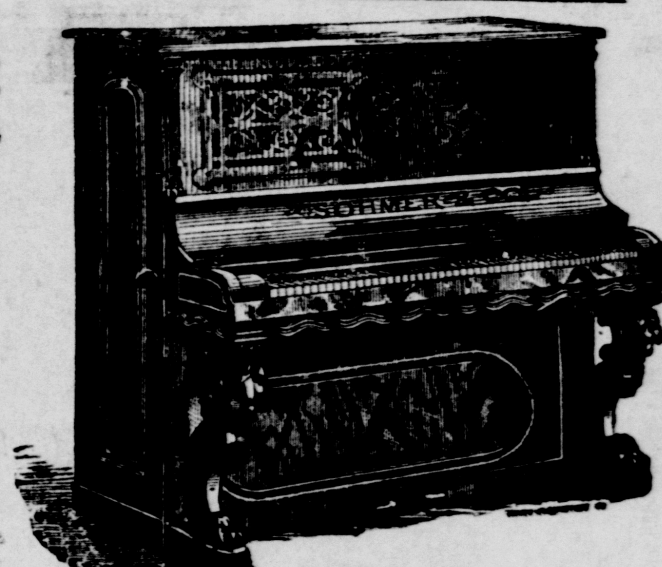
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Fancy Raisins, 5c lb.; 6 for 25c.

Fine Salmon, 10c can; 3 for 25c.

Fine Sardines, 5c can; 6 for 25c.

Fancy dried Peaches 10c lb.; 3 for 25c.

Fancy dried Apricots, 10c lb.; 3 for 25c.

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